ECP Growth Companies Fund



Fund report | November 2025

Capital growth vs income......



Mid cap bias.....



Investment style



Key facts.....

Investment strategy
A high conviction, Australian equities
portfolio designed to deliver alpha
above benchmark

Investment objective
Outperform index by over 2-4% p.a.
over 5 years

Benchmark index S&P/ASX 300 Accumulation Index

Fund Manager ECP Asset Management

Inception date
Jan 2020 (strategy commenced 2012)

Management fee 0.90% p.a.¹

Performance fee 15.375% of benchmark outperformance¹

Number of stocks Typically 25-30

Ratings

Lonsec Highly Recommended Zenith Recommended Lonsec 5 Bees Sustainability Score

Platforms

BT Panorama, Netwealth, Powerwrap, Praemium, Hub24, Macquarie, North, Mason Stevens, CFS

Performance*

At month end	1 mth	3 mth	6 mth	1 yr	3 yr	5yr	Incep.+
ECP Growth Companies Fund	-5.1%	-9.2%	-4.1%	-12.5%	8.4%	3.7%	11.0%
S&P/ASX 300 Accumulation Index	-2.6%	-2.9%	4.1%	5.8%	9.7%	9.8%	9.8%
Outperformance	-2.5%	-6.3%	-8.2%	-18.3%	-1.3%	-6.1%	1.2%

*(%, returns greater than one year are per annum) | 'Inception of the ECP Growth Companies Fund for performance calculation purposes is 31 July 2012 (based on the underlying strategy ECPAM All Cap strategy returns).

Performance comparison of \$10,000 since inception



Monthly commentary.....

GQG Partners Inc (GQG) was a positive contributor in November, driven by a positive inflection in fund alpha across its strategies. Given the pessimistic starting valuation—reflected in a materially elevated dividend yield—the improvement in alpha, a key leading indicator for future flows, catalysed a meaningful rally in the share price.

WiseTech Global Ltd (WTC) outperformed ahead of its investor day as the market responded positively to details around its new pricing framework, CargoWise Value Packs. The announcement helped investors better understand the company's transition toward value-based pricing. As a dominant software provider across large parts of the logistics value chain, WiseTech is increasingly aligning pricing with transaction events between logistics service providers and their customers, improving the pass-through (disbursability) of software costs to end clients.

Block Inc (XYZ) underperformed following its 3Q25 result and subsequent investor day. In our view, both events were strong, with qualitative and quantitative developments reinforcing our investment thesis. We exited the investor day increasingly confident in the opportunity ahead, given accelerating execution and an attractive valuation. We attribute the share price weakness primarily to broader technology sector de-rating during the month rather than company-specific factors.

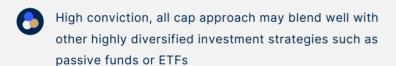
Xero Ltd (XRO) shares lagged in November after 1H26 results slightly missed consensus. The result was a catalyst for analysts to integrate the recent Melio acquisition into forecasts, raising revenue targets while lowering near-term earnings expectations. Despite the added short-term uncertainty, the deal offers compelling strategic value: improved product-market fit, better payments economics, and a stronger foothold in the US market.

Sector allocation	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		
GICS sector	ECP %	Index %	+/- %
Communication Services	9.33	3.84	5.49
Consumer Discretionary	19.69	7.55	12.14
Consumer Staples	0.00	3.58	-3.58
Energy	0.00	3.72	-3.72
Financials	20.74	32.08	-11.34
Health Care	18.42	7.88	10.54
Industrials	1.91	7.85	-5.95
Information Technology	18.56	3.14	15.42
Materials	6.00	22.11	-16.11
Real Estate	0.00	6.78	-6.78
Utilities	0.00	1.40	-1.40
Cash	5.34	0.04	5.30
Total	100.0%	100.0%	-

Why ECP?

















Top 10 holdings.....

Company	Weight %
ResMed Inc	6.44
Block Inc	6.29
Judo Capital Holdings Ltd	4.88
Xero Ltd	4.52
WiseTech Global Ltd	4.48
IDP Education Ltd	4.43
Guzman y Gomez Ltd	4.34
CSL Ltd	4.29
Corporate Travel Mgmt Ltd	4.19
James Hardie Industries	4.19

Key contributors.....

Company	Weight %
GQG Partners Inc	2.64
WiseTech Global Ltd	4.10
CSL Ltd	4.23

Key detractors.....

Company	Weight %
Xero Ltd	4.62
Block Inc	6.21
Guzman y Gomez Ltd	4.46

Portfolio metrics (5yr)

Portfolio IRR	17.56
Beta (5Y)	1.13
Downside Capture (5Y)	1.04

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