

# KOPERNIK GLOBAL INVESTORS

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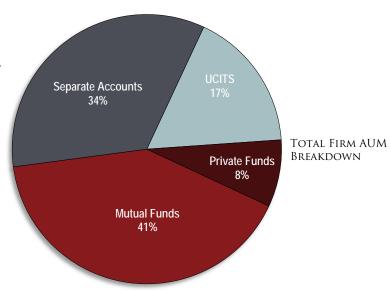
#### CENTERING ON CLIENT SUCCESS

KOPERNIK GLOBAL INVESTORS, LLC ("KOPERNIK") IS A GLOBAL EQUITY INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST, ORGANIZED TO ENSURE A CULTURE CENTERED ON CLIENT SUCCESS.

- Leadership and ownership by investment professionals
- 100% employee owned
- Equity participation for all professionals
- Principals invest alongside clients
- Capacity to be limited, enhancing return potential

#### **FOCUSED OFFERINGS**

- Kopernik Global All-Cap
- Kopernik Global Unconstrained
- Kopernik Global Long-Term Opportunities (formerly Kopernik Global Real Asset)
- Kopernik International



Managed Assets	
Mutual Funds	\$1,325.73 MM
Private Funds	\$260.70 MM
UCITS (Sub-advised)	\$548.27 MM
Separate Accounts	\$1,102.17 MM
Total Firm AUM	\$3,236.87 MM
Advisory Only Assets	
Separate Accounts	\$272.67 MM

Assets as of June 30, 2018 are preliminary.





#### ACHIEVING VALUE THROUGH INDEPENDENT THOUGHT

Mikolaj Kopernik, better known by the Latin spelling, Nicolaus Copernicus, proposed the heliocentric model of the universe in the early 1500s. What interests us is the fact that he trusted his own observations instead of accepting what "everyone" thought to be true. He faced scorn for his "novel and incomprehensible" theses. Though primarily an astronomer, Kopernik set forth a version of the "quantity theory of money," a principal concept in economics to the present day. He also formulated a version of Gresham's Law, predating Gresham.

As independent thinkers, Kopernik Global Investors honors Mikolaj Kopernik in the contemporary investment world. We believe that accomplished investors who trust their own analyses and instincts can generate significant excess returns as a result of market inefficiencies driven by erroneous professional and academic theories and practices.

# LIKE OUR NAMESAKE, WE ARE DEDICATED TO REASONING OVER CONVENTION AND TO CLIENTS' NEEDS ABOVE CONVENIENCE.

#### **OUR INVESTMENT BELIEFS**

Independent thought

Long-term global perspective

Limited capacity

Value as a prerequisite

Bottom-up fundamental analysis

Industry-tailored valuations

Group vetting





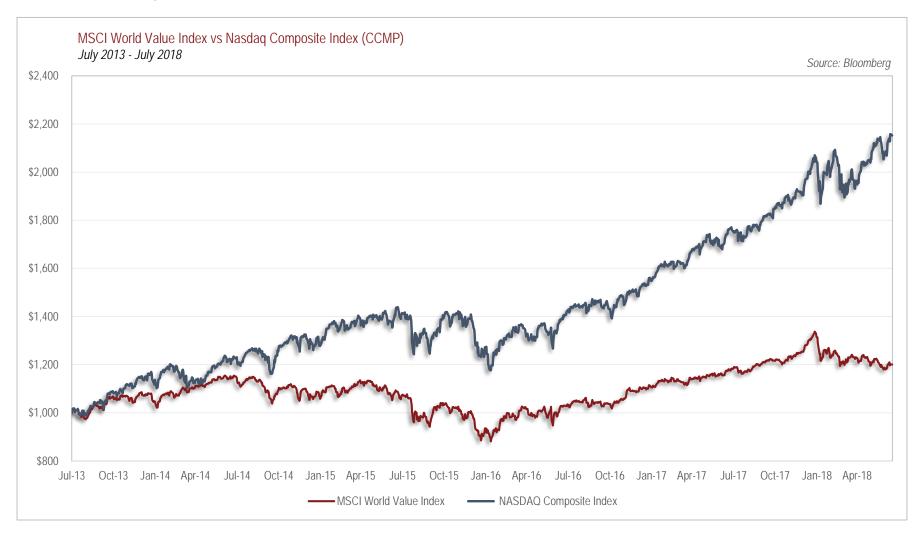


CELEBRATING 5 YEARS!

### HOW HAS VALUE PERFORMED OVER THE PAST 5 YEARS?

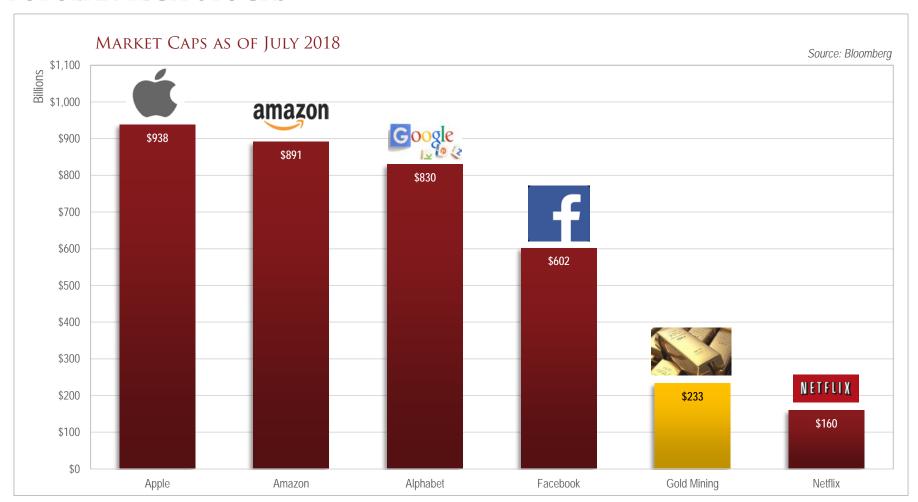








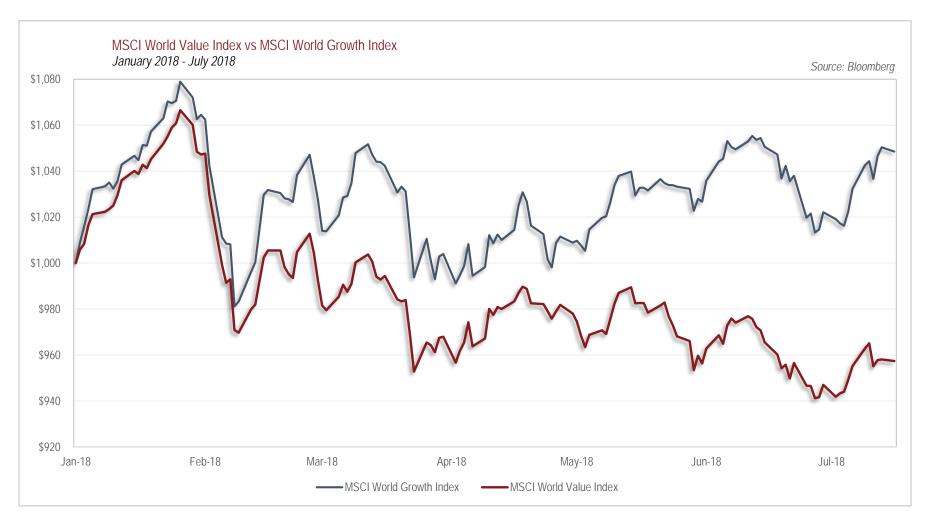
# THE ENTIRE GOLD MINING INDUSTRY IS TRADING FOR LESS THAN POPULAR TECH STOCKS





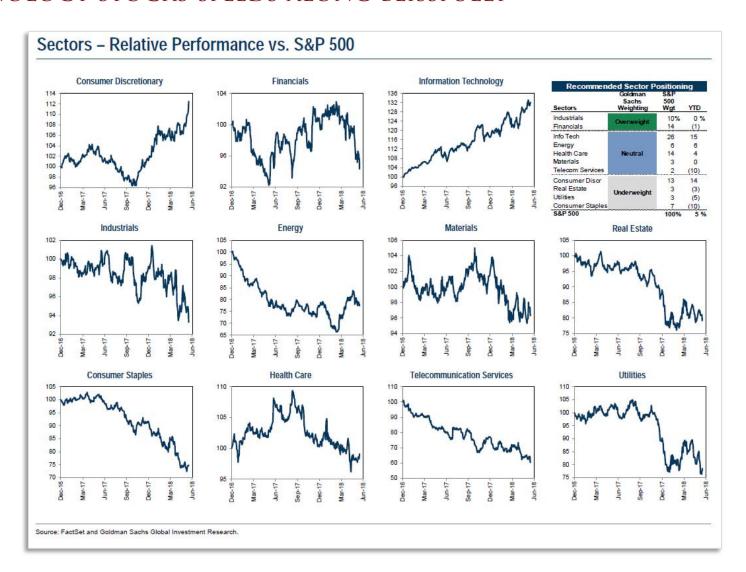


### YTD MOMENTUM IS ALL THAT'S WORKING



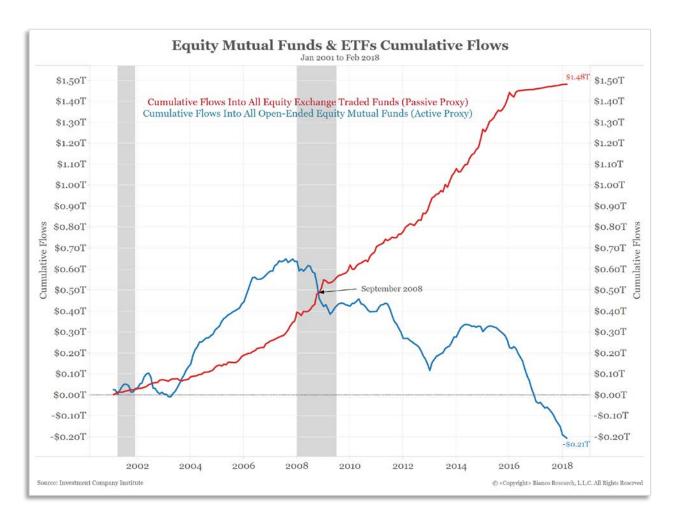


# THE TRAINLOAD OF CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY STOCKS SPEEDS ALONG BLISSFULLY





#### PRICE-INSENSITIVE INVESTMENT CONTINUES FULL STEAM

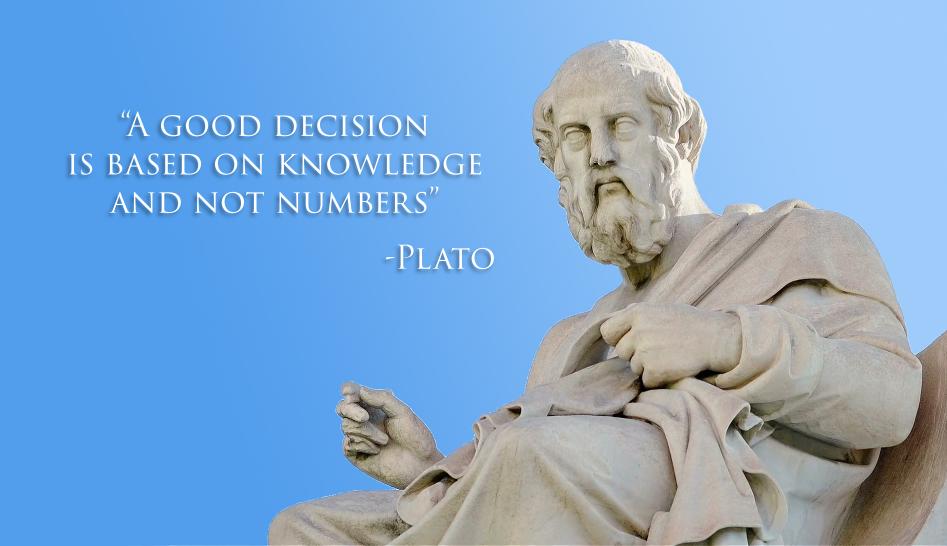


After all
The grabbing hands
Grab all they can
All for themselves
After all
It's a competitive world

Everything counts in large amounts

-Depeche Mode Everything Counts







### Judgement vs Data

- Is this a new paradigm?
- Is there such a thing as diseconomies of scale?
- Can the ROIC perpetually vastly exceed the COC?
- Have greed and fear been eliminated from the human genome?
- Do algorithms rein-in or augment emotions?
- How long can asset values exceed the values at which they can be supported by rents, earnings, cash flow, wages, etc?
- As the FAANNG and BAT companies increasingly compete against each other can they all win?
- Can central bankers actually conjure wealth out of thin air, or merely increase the supply of currency/transfer wealth amongst constituents?
- Is it helpful to know what one is purchasing before investing one's money?

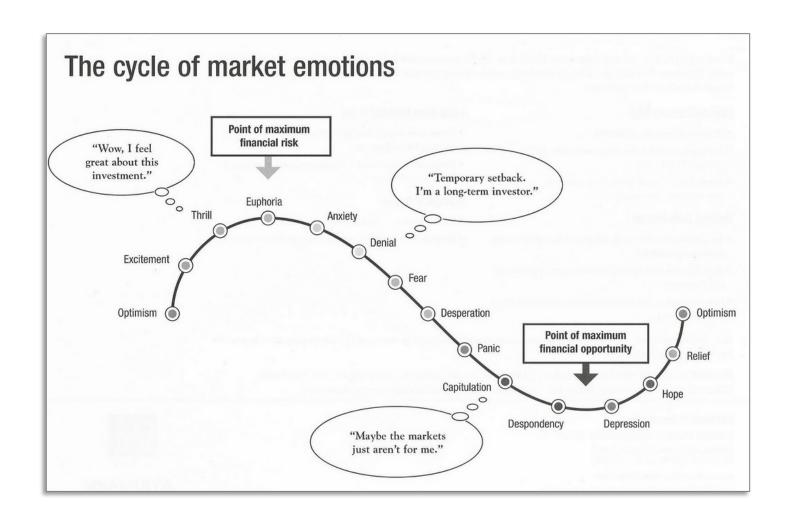
## Inquiring Minds Want to Know



THOUGHT IS TOO IMPORTANT TO BE DELEGATED TO MACHINES AND MANAGING PEOPLES' VALUABLE CAPITAL IS TOO IMPORTANT TO BE DONE WITHOUT RIGOROUS DUE DILIGENCE AND THOUGHTFUL ANALYSIS



### HAVE ALGOS ELIMINATED EMOTIONAL INFLUENCES, OR AUGMENTED THEM?



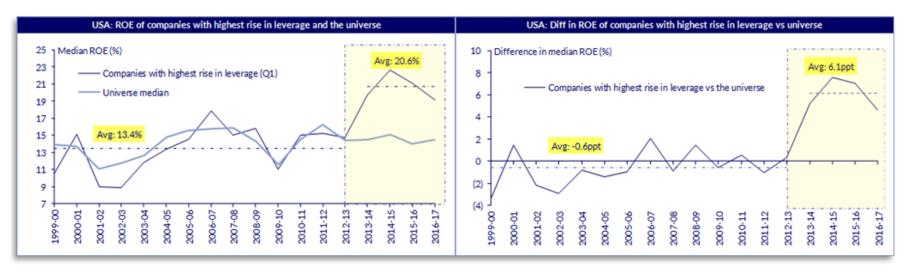


#### THE WORLD IS CYCLICAL - VALUE VS GROWTH STOCKS

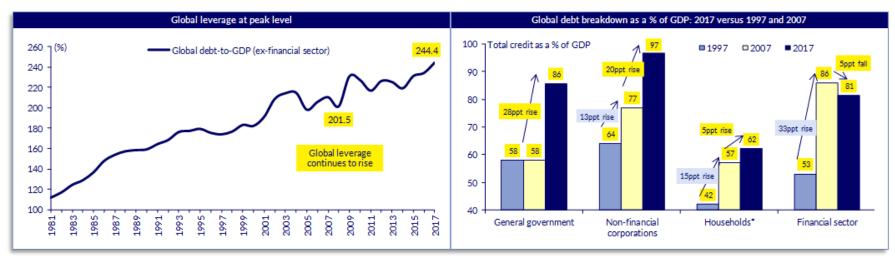




### SOUND JUDGEMENT REQUIRES SECOND LEVEL THINKING

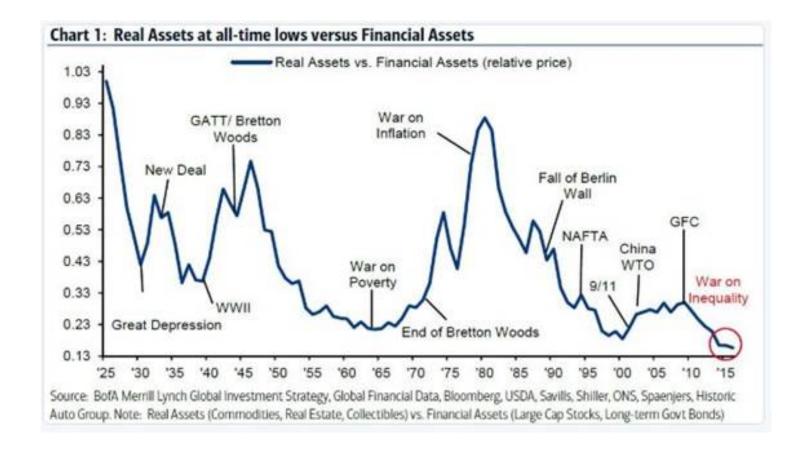


## "THINGS GET DAMAGED, THINGS GET BROKEN" - DEPECHE MODE

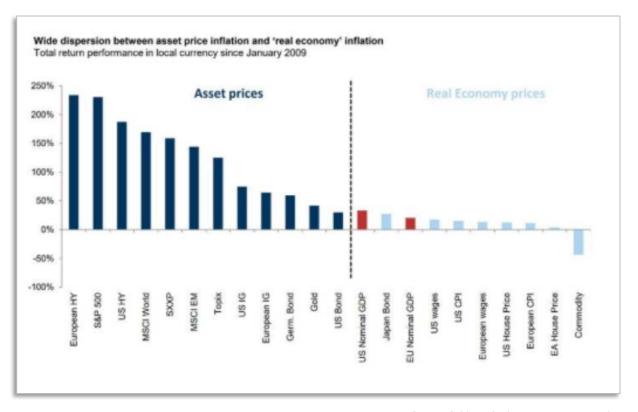


Source: CLSA Microstrategy





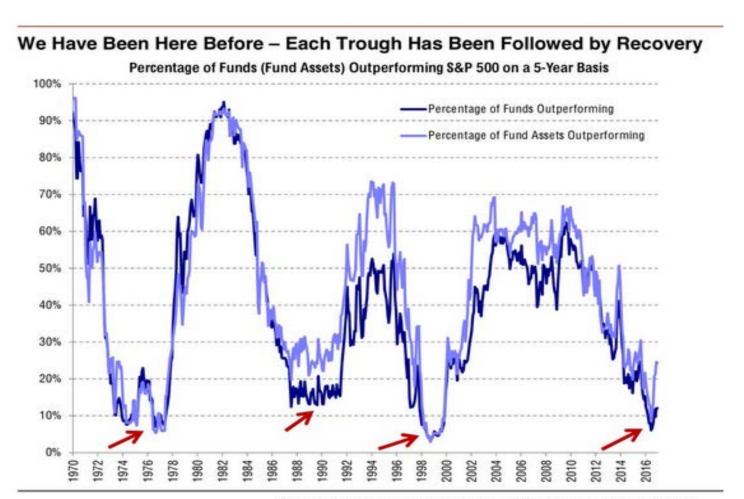




Source: Goldman Sachs Investment Research



#### IF THERE WAS EVER A TIME FOR ACTIVE MANAGEMENT, IT IS NOW!



Source: CRSP, Bloomberg, Robert Shiller data, Instinet research



#### "IF YOU WANT TO HAVE BETTER PERFORMANCE THAN THE CROWD, YOU MUST DO THINGS DIFFERENTLY FROM THE CROWD." - JOHN TEMPLETON

#### As of March 31, 2018

Performance Metrics	Kopernik Global All-Cap	Peers <sup>1</sup>	MSCI ACWI (Net)	Kopernik International	Peers <sup>2</sup>	MSCI ACWI ex U.S. (Net)
Active Share	99.6	91.6		99.1	90.0	
Non-Index Holdings <sup>3</sup>	65%			34%		
1 Yr.						
Correlation to Index <sup>4</sup>	0.56	0.92		0.63	0.96	
Standard Deviation	9.1	8.8	8.6	8.0	9.3	9.2
Tracking Error	8.3	3.8		7.4	2.9	
3 Yr.						
Correlation to Index <sup>4</sup>	0.55	0.93				
Standard Deviation	20.8	11.0	10.9			
Tracking Error	17.4	4.5				

Source: eVestment Global Database (updated quarterly)

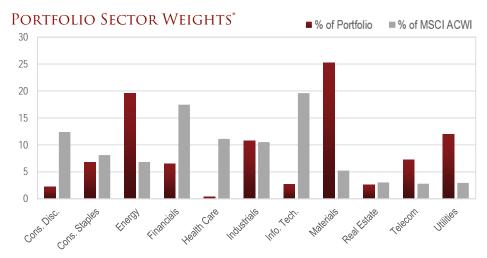


Peer Group: eVestment Global Value Equity – Median Values
 Peer Group: eVestment ACWI ex US All-Cap Value Equity – Median Values
 45 of the 73 (65%) total holdings in Global All-Cap are not represented in the MSCI ACWI Index, 14 of the 41 (34%) total holdings in International are not represented in the MSCI ACWI ex U.S. Index.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Kopernik Global All Cap uses the MSCI ACWI Index, Kopernik International uses the MSCI ACWI ex U.S. Index.



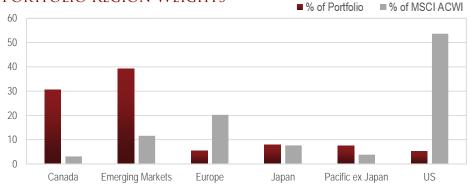
## GLOBAL ALL-CAP - MODEL PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS (AS OF 6/30/2018)



#### TOP TEN HOLDINGS

Name	Country	Port Weight %
Cameco Corp	Canada	4.75
Gazprom PJSC	Russia	4.25
KT Corp	South Korea	4.25
Newcrest Mining Ltd	Australia	4.00
Electricite de France SA	France	3.75
Range Resources Corp	United States	3.25
Golden Agri-Resources Ltd	Singapore	3.00
RusHydro PJSC	Russia	3.00
Centrais Eletricas Brasileiras	Brazil	2.75
Mitsui & Co Ltd	Japan	2.75





#### PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

	Portfolio %	MSCI ACWI %
Large-Cap**	28.3	90.2
Mid-Cap**	38.0	9.7
Small-Cap**	30.0	0.1
Developed Markets	56.9	88.4
Emerging Markets	39.3	11.6
U.S.	5.4	53.6
Non U.S.	90.1	46.4

Excludes non-equity securities

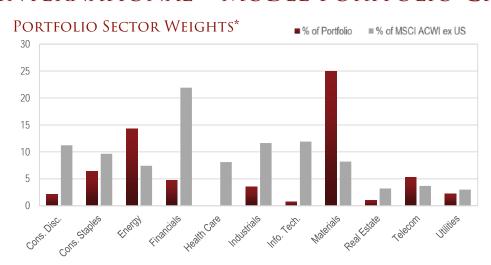
Portfolio weights and characteristics above are based on the holdings of a model portfolio as of June 30, 2018. Portfolio characteristics, sector and country designations are calculated using data from Bloomberg. The MSCI All Country World Index is a broad-based securities market index that captures 2,781 primarily large and mid cap companies across 23 developed and 24 emerging market countries as of June 30, 2018. The MSCI All Country World Index is different from the strategy in a number of material respects, including being much more diversified among companies and countries, having less exposure to emerging market and small cap companies, and having no ability to invest in fixed income or derivative securities.



<sup>\*</sup>Does not include Options, which were approximately 1.00% of the portfolio as of June 30, 2018.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Small-Cap = less than \$2 billion, Mid-Cap = \$2 billion - \$10 billion, Large-Cap = greater than \$10 billion





#### TOP TEN HOLDINGS

Name	Country	Port Weight %
Newcrest Mining Ltd	Australia	4.50
Cameco Corp	Canada	4.50
Gazprom PJSC	Russia	4.25
Wheaton Precious Metals Corp	Canada	3.75
Barrick Gold Corp	Canada	3.25
KT Corp	South Korea	2.50
Golden Agri-Resources Ltd	Singapore	2.25
Lenta Ltd	Russia	2.25
Novagold Resources Inc	Canada	2.25
MEG Energy Corp	Canada	2.00





#### PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

	Portfolio %	MSCI ACWI ex US %
Large-Cap**	24.4	82.9
Mid-Cap**	32.5	16.8
Small-Cap**	8.4	0.3
Developed Markets	34.5	75.0
Emerging Markets	30.8	25.0
U.S.	1.8	-
Non U.S.	63.5	100

Excludes non-equity securities

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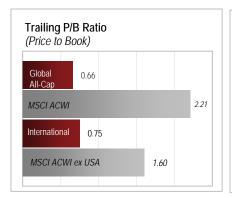
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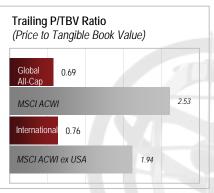
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"It's not enough to be different – you also need to be correct. The problem is that extraordinary performance comes only from correct nonconsensual forecasts, but nonconsensual forecasts are hard to make, hard to make correctly, and hard to act on."

As of June 30, 2018 - HOWARD MARKS















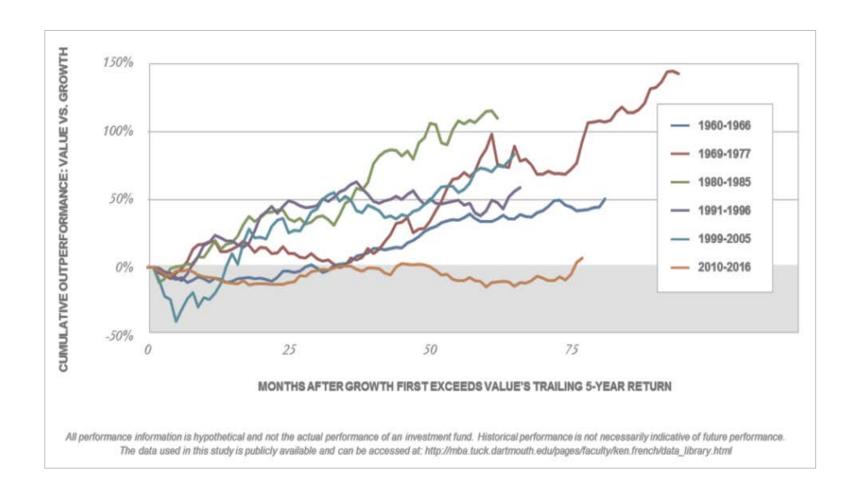


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#### POST 5 YEARS OF UNDERPERFORMANCE





# DOES VALUE COME FROM EXPECTED CASH OR IS CASH LIKELY TO BE GENERATED FROM THINGS THAT ARE INTRINSICALLY VALUABLE?













	Potential Upside			
Year	50.0%	100.0%	150.0%	
1	50.0%	100.0%	150.0%	
2	22.5%	41.2%	58.1%	
3	14.5%	26.0%	35.7%	
4	10.7%	18.9%	25.7%	
5	8.5%	14.9%	20.1%	
6	7.0%	12.3%	16.5%	
7	6.0%	10.4%	14.0%	
8	5.2%	9.1%	12.1%	
9	4.6%	8.0%	10.7%	
10	4.1%	7.2%	9.6%	

Internal Rate of Return









# THANK YOU

**Q&A SESSION** 





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