

## GCQ Flagship Fund | Global Equities Hedged Complex ETF | Fact Sheet

The GCQ Flagship Fund invests in a concentrated portfolio of high-quality companies within attractive industries.

### The Fund at a glance

Features	HGCQ.AX GCQ GLOBAL EQUITIES HEDGED COMPLEX ETF
ISIN	AU0000453433
Fund Inception	2 March 2026
Base currency	AUD
Number of positions	Approx. 20
Minimum suggested investment time frame	5 years
Management fees and costs(1)	1.25% p.a.
Performance Fees(2)	15% of Outperformance above the High Water Mark increased by the Hurdle
Distribution frequency	Semi-Annual

**Notes:**

1. Management Fee is 1.25% p.a and fund expenses are 0.00%
2. Hurdle is the lower of 7% p.a or the US Federal Funds Rate plus 4% p.a

#### INVESTMENT STRATEGY

The Fund invests primarily in a concentrated portfolio of listed global equity securities designed to deliver compound returns while preserving capital over the long-term. The Fund also has the capacity to short sell securities that GCQ believes to be vulnerable to material price declines.

#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Fund is a high conviction global equity strategy that aims to generate compound returns on capital over a period greater than five years.

#### INVESTMENT TEAM

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### About GCQ Funds Management

GCQ Funds Management is a global investment manager founded in 2021 by an established team with a proven track record of strong returns. GCQ's head office is in Sydney and the business is owned and controlled by its staff.

The name GCQ was selected to transparently communicate the firm's investment activities:

**GLOBAL** | We aim to identify the best investments globally, with a strong bias towards developed markets with established shareholder protections.

**CONCENTRATED** | We undertake thorough independent research on each of our investments and concentrate capital in our best ideas.

**QUALITY** | We believe the greatest long-term risk-adjusted returns can be achieved by investing in the world's best companies, at attractive valuations.

# Quality Industries



Our focus is on industries that display *monopoly, duopoly or oligopoly* characteristics, and firms that own highly valuable brands with pricing power.

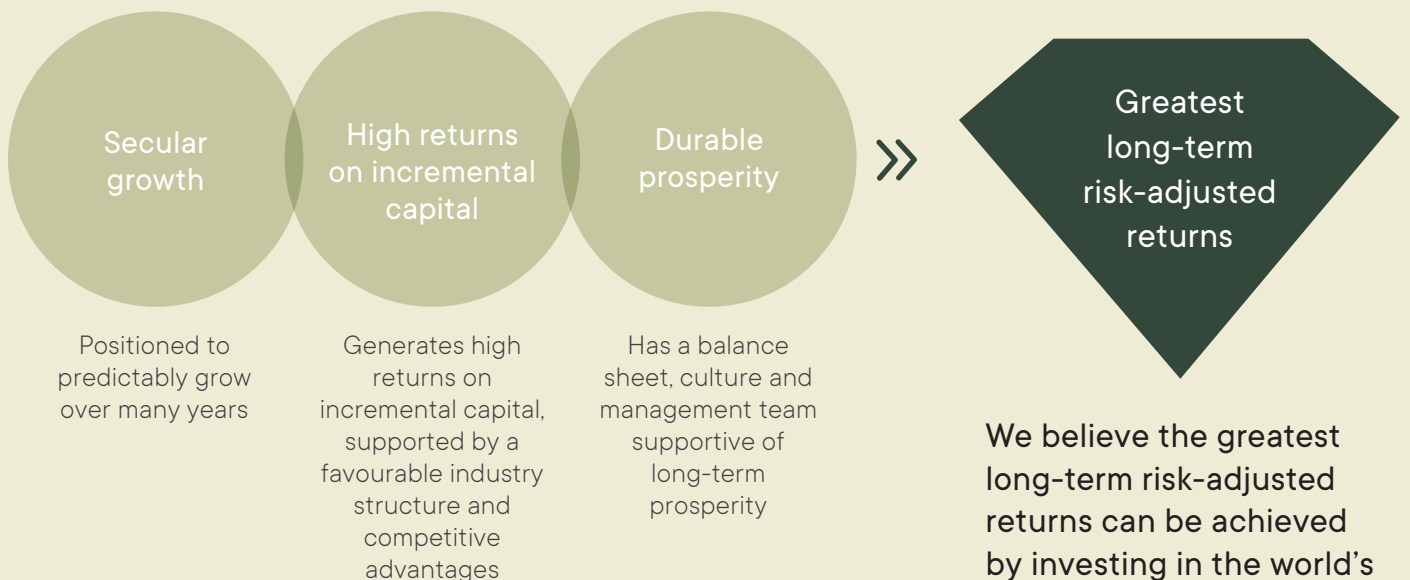
Some examples include:

 Super luxury goods	 Global cloud computing	 Global consumer payments
 Global online advertising	 Local monopolies	 Credit rating agencies & investment index providers

## Why own quality businesses?

<p>Quality businesses are by definition, <b><i>less exposed to disruption and extreme downside risk</i></b></p>	<p>As long-term investors, our strategy is to build enduring wealth over the long-term by focusing on <b><i>businesses that deliver predictable and persistent fundamental outperformance</i></b></p>	<p>Long-term investment in high quality “compounders” is very <b><i>tax efficient</i></b></p>
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## What is a quality business?



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GCQ Flagship Fund’s Target Market Determination is available at

<https://www.eqt.com.au/corporates-and-fund-managers/fund-managers/institutional-funds/institutional>

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