

NAV update as of 31 December 2016*	
Monthly net return (estimate)	1.22%
Latest NAV in USD (estimate)	19.97
Year to date performance (estimate)	0.71%
Cumulative net return (estimate)	210.01%
Annualised net return (estimate)	5.82%
Annualised standard deviation	5.21%
Sharpe ratio ¹⁾	0.45
Correlation to MSCI World index	0.50
Correlation to JPM Global Bond index	-0.08

Share price as of 31 December 2016	
Price in USD (SIX Swiss Exchange)	16.40
Year to date net return in USD (SIX)	0.92%
Price in CHF (SIX)	16.95
Year to date price return in CHF (SIX)	2.42%
Premium / discount (to USD price)*	-17.88%

Other information	
Net asset value (USD million)	177.14
Degree of investment	100%
USD/CHF exchange rate	1.0172

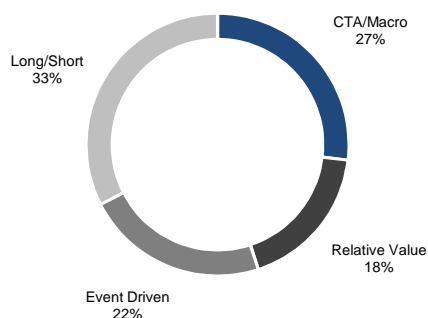
All annualised and cumulative statistics are for the period commencing Jan 1997.

¹⁾ A risk free rate of 3.5% is used for calculation purposes.

Investor sentiment remained risk-friendly in December and global equity markets traded higher, led by advances in the US and European markets. Despite inflation, retail sales and manufacturing surveys continued to brighten in the four largest economies, and central banks remained biased in favor of supportive policies. Even the US Federal Reserve, which finally raised rates for the first time since 2015, remains mindful to not tighten too quickly. Bond markets stabilized in December after heavy losses following the US elections and the USD continued to strengthen against major currencies. Within commodities, oil strengthened over the month on expectations of global production cuts, while the gold price corrected.

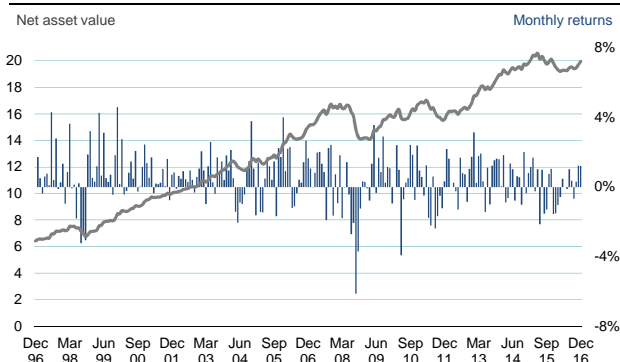
The portfolio ended the year with a strong month. Every style contributed positively, with the largest contribution stemming from CTAs, which posted strong gains across equities, currencies and energy. Event Driven managers as a group had a positive month in both Europe and the US. All Macro and Relative Value managers ended the month in positive territory. Within Long/Short Equity, the majority of the managers contributed to portfolio performance, with best results from an emerging markets manager.

Style allocation as of 31 December 2016 (31 Holdings)



The allocations above take into account that a single underlying investment can have exposure to multiple styles and have been rebased to reflect underlying fund investments only.

NAV performance in USD (from Jan 1997 to Dec 2016)*



Monthly net returns (%), NAV in USD (from January 1997 to December 2016)*

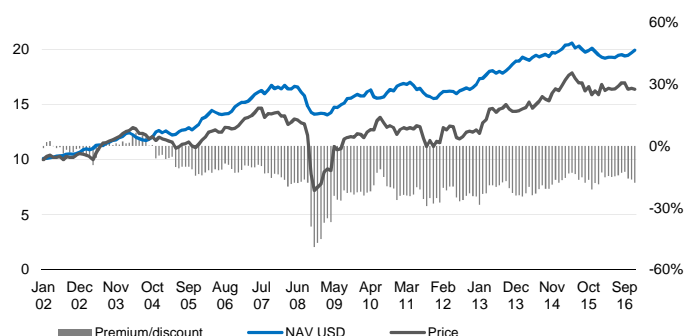
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD	MSCI World	JPM GBI
2016	-1.51	-1.02	-0.57	0.47	0.00	-0.10	1.04	0.36	-0.66	0.31	1.23	1.22	0.71	10.04	3.69
2015	0.81	1.31	1.49	-0.20	1.03	-2.14	0.99	-1.52	-1.30	0.76	1.05	-1.54	0.66	2.57	1.35
2014	0.05	1.84	-0.88	-0.63	1.37	1.04	-0.77	0.62	0.51	-1.07	2.07	-0.35	3.85	10.31	8.48
2013	3.15	0.23	1.78	1.92	0.33	-1.44	1.12	-1.00	1.23	1.55	1.63	1.61	12.72	29.39	-0.35
2012	2.18	1.63	0.00	0.25	-0.25	-1.30	1.69	0.80	0.73	-0.85	1.04	1.75	7.88	16.48	4.20
2011	0.96	0.59	-0.47	1.25	-1.76	-2.21	0.61	-2.37	-1.68	-0.51	-1.21	0.32	-6.36	-4.93	6.17
2010	-0.94	0.00	2.41	0.99	-3.92	-0.70	0.26	0.51	2.42	1.86	-0.73	2.40	4.45	11.03	4.24
2009	0.29	-0.08	-0.77	1.35	3.57	-0.34	1.70	0.87	2.91	0.26	1.15	1.08	12.56	27.09	0.72
2008	-0.93	1.83	-1.79	-0.02	1.43	-0.43	-2.70	-2.07	-6.12	-3.70	-1.24	0.32	-14.61	-38.06	9.42
2007	1.07	-0.01	0.82	1.98	2.03	1.34	0.87	-1.89	2.25	2.43	-1.63	0.73	10.34	6.13	5.99
2006	4.01	0.92	2.20	2.30	-1.19	-1.10	-0.35	0.42	0.25	1.44	2.67	1.66	13.91	17.47	3.09
2005	-1.62	1.42	-1.43	-1.45	0.50	1.71	1.20	0.43	1.46	-1.68	2.25	1.73	4.49	16.65	4.97
2004	0.96	2.13	0.51	-1.41	-2.05	-0.88	-0.97	-0.42	1.00	1.49	3.78	1.06	5.17	11.52	4.88
2003	2.06	0.95	-0.97	1.19	2.60	0.27	-0.38	1.71	0.83	1.47	0.41	1.82	12.57	25.04	2.09
2002	0.85	-0.10	0.65	0.48	0.91	0.46	0.29	0.96	0.43	-0.31	0.59	1.06	6.44	-24.38	8.40
2001	1.38	0.54	1.70	-0.35	0.20	0.16	0.25	1.04	0.05	1.62	-0.76	0.71	6.71	-13.69	6.15
2000	0.19	2.75	-0.42	-0.23	0.82	1.47	0.49	2.07	-0.26	0.04	1.16	2.45	10.98	-8.17	10.80
1999	0.53	0.31	1.20	4.27	0.66	3.13	0.51	0.30	0.72	-0.45	1.84	4.59	18.93	30.96	0.68
1998	-0.96	0.87	3.63	-0.08	0.15	-1.80	0.22	-3.22	-2.69	-3.06	1.88	3.21	-2.11	22.68	11.45
1997	1.72	0.51	-0.37	0.61	0.77	0.10	4.30	0.41	2.79	-0.12	0.28	1.34	12.95	24.78	10.84

Before September 1999, CAI (Overseas) Ltd. pro-forma performance numbers are used (real numbers adjusted for currency hedging, net of management fee and performance fee but gross of cost on CAI AG level)

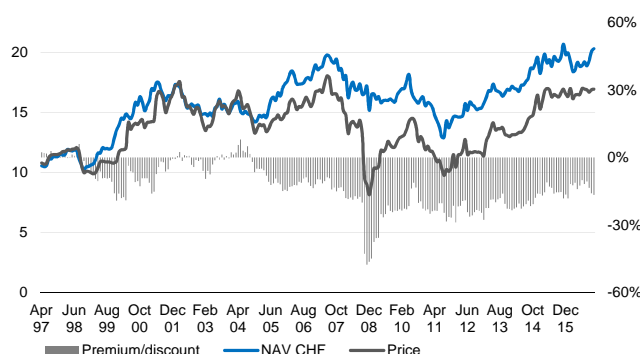
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Net asset value, price and premium/discount
Listing to December 2016*, in USD



Net asset value, price and premium/discount
Listing to December 2016*, in CHF



Key facts

Investment manager

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Niederer Kraft & Frey

Fees

1.5% management fee and 10% performance fee

Market quote

Quoted and traded daily in USD and CHF on SIX

Listing dates

SIX: CHF: 10 April 1997; USD: 21 January 2002

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USD: CASND SW (SIX)

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Company structure

Castle Alternative Invest AG ("the Company") is a joint stock corporation established for an indefinite period in the Canton of Schwyz, Switzerland, by deed dated 24 July 1996. The Company was registered in the Commercial Register of the Canton of Schwyz on 30 July 1996. The Company's shares have been listed in Swiss Francs on the SIX Swiss Exchange since 10 April 1997 and in US Dollars since 21 January 2002. On 5 June 2009, they were also listed in US Dollars on the London Stock Exchange. This listing was subsequently cancelled effective 3 March 2014. Since 31 August 2016, the issued share capital of the Company has consisted of 9,653,732 registered shares with a par value of CHF 5.

On 18 May 2015, it was announced that each shareholder would be granted, free of charge, tradable put options: 1 put option per registered share. 30 put options entitled the holder to tender 1 registered share. 351,079 shares were tendered to the Company on 5 June 2015.

On 9 June 2015, the Company started the sixth share buyback for cancellation on a second trading line, as approved at the AGM 2015. A maximum of 724,526 shares can be bought back. This programme was terminated early on 10 May 2016 with the Company buying back 724,526 shares; the maximum number of shares approved.

On 10 May 2016, it was announced that each shareholder would be granted, free of charge, tradable put options: 1 put option per registered share. 30 put options entitled the holder to tender 1 registered share. 315,459 shares were tendered to the Company on 1 June 2016.

On 6 June 2016, the Company started the seventh share buyback for cancellation on a second trading line, as approved at the AGM 2016. A maximum of 649,914 shares can be bought back.

The total number of shares in issue (excluding all of the above holdings) amount to 8,869,197 shares.

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