cast **ALTERNATIVE INVEST**

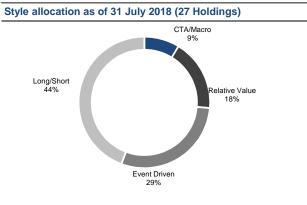
NAV update as of 31 July 2018*	
Monthly net return (estimate)	1.11%
Latest NAV in USD (estimate)	20.12
Year to date performance (estimate)	0.00%
Cumulative net return (estimate)	212.34%
Annualised net return (estimate)	5.42%
Annualised standard deviation	5.12%
Sharpe ratio ¹⁾	0.37
Correlation to MSCI World index	0.50
Correlation to JPM Global Bond index	-0.08
Share price as of 31 July 2018	
Price in CHF (SIX)	15.80
Year to date price return in CHF (SIX)	0.96%

Other information Net asset value (USD million)

	140.40
Degree of investment	100%
USD/CHF exchange rate	0.9896

ed and cumulative statistics are for the period commencing Jan 1997

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



Monthly pet returns (%) NAV in LISD (from January 1997 to July 2018)*

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD	MSCI	JPM
2018	1.69	-1.76	-1.79	-0.20	0.96	0.05	1.11						0.00	<u>World</u> 5.31	GBI 0.33
2017	0.15	-0.50	0.00	-0.15	-0.25	-1.32	1.79	0.30	0.35	1.30	-1.24	0.60	1.05	19.79	2.24
2016	-1.51	-1.02	-0.57	0.47	0.00	-0.10	1.04	0.36	-0.66	0.31	1.23	0.91	0.40	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

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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) Source: LGT CP / Bloomber

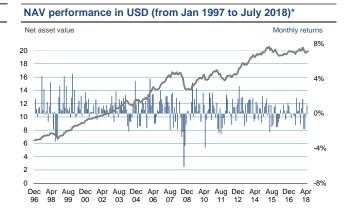
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Monthly report - July 2018

Global financial markets advanced in July, driven by strong US growth and a slight reduction in trade war tensions between the US and Europe. The favored sectors this month were energy, healthcare and biotech, but European and emerging market equities also mostly traded up. Interest rates trended higher and the US Doller fell against emerging market currencies while it appreciated against Japanese Yen and the British Pound. Most commodities declined in price, led by agricultures.

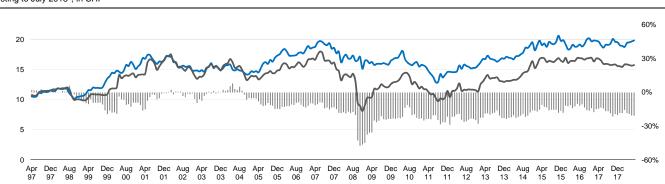
The portfolio posted gains in July, as all sub-styles contributed to returns except for CTAs. The bulk of the returns were generated in Event Driven and Long/Short Equity strategies. Event Driven was led by a European financials restructuring manager, who benefitted strongly from positions in a Spanish bank. Long/Short Equity profits were driven by a technology focused manager who gained both on the long and on the short side of the book. The largest detractor was an Australian Long/Short Equity manager, mainly due to outperforming short positions.





Premium/discount

NAV CHF



Price

Key facts

Investment manager LGT Capital Partners (Ireland) Limited Investment adviser LGT Capital Partners Limited Administrators I GT Bank AG in Liechtenstein BNP Paribas Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Ltd. Auditor and reporting accountants PricewaterhouseCoopers Swiss legal counsel Niederer Kraft & Frey Fees 1.5% management fee and 10% performance fee Market quote Quoted and traded daily in CHF on SIX Listing dates SIX: CHF: 10 April 1997 ISIN/Valor CH0005092751/509275 Bloomberg CHF: CASN 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 from 21 January 2002 until 15 September 2017. 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 2017, the issued share capital of the Company has consisted of 8,721,297 registered shares with a par value of CHF 5.

The total number of shares in issue (excluding all of the above holdings) amount to 7,380,633 shares.

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