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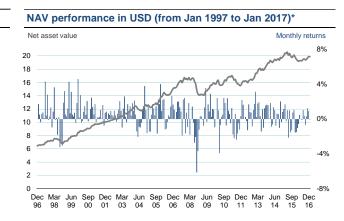
Monthly report – January 2017

NAV update as of 31 January 2017*	
Monthly net return (estimate)	-0.05%
Latest NAV in USD (estimate)	19.90
Year to date performance (estimate)	-0.05%
Cumulative net return (estimate)	208.92%
Annualised net return (estimate)	5.78%
Annualised standard deviation	5.19%
Sharpe ratio ¹⁾	0.44
Correlation to MSCI World index	0.50
Correlation to JPM Global Bond index	-0.08
Share price as of 31 January 2017	
Price in USD (SIX Swiss Exchange)	16.30
Year to date net return in USD (SIX)	-0.61%
Price in CHF (SIX)	17.00
Year to date price return in CHF (SIX)	0.29%
Premium / discount (to USD price)*	-18.09%
Other information	
Net asset value (USD million)	175.27
Degree of investment	100%

clines against the Swiss franc, euro and Japanese yen. In commodities, metals posted sharp gains; energy commodities fell, led by natural gas, while agriculturals were up. The portfolio was down slightly for the month, with a significant degree of dispersion among the different hedge fund styles. The biggest negative contribution came from CTAs, which posted losses in currencies, energy contracts (mainly natural gas) and interest rates. Further losses came from discretionary Macro strategies, where the

Global financial markets lost momentum over January and posted mixed results. However, recent economic data painted a clear picture: investors expect more growth and inflation ahead. In fixed income, European yields rose modestly while the US curve was little changed. The US dollar declined against most currencies, with the steepest de-

reversal of the US dollar against the euro and the Japanese yen was among the key negative contributors. On the positive side, Event Driven strategies were up strongly with solid performance in European restructuring situations as well as continued strength in select US energy names. Finally, Long/Short Equity and Relative Value strategies were moderately positive for the month.

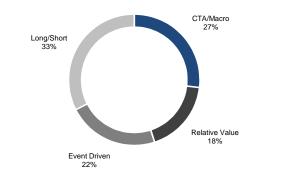


All annualised and cumulative statistics are for the period commencing Jan 1997.

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

USD/CHF exchange rate

Style allocation as of 31 January 2017 (30 Holdings)



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

Monthly net returns (%), NAV in USD (from January 1997 to January 2017)*

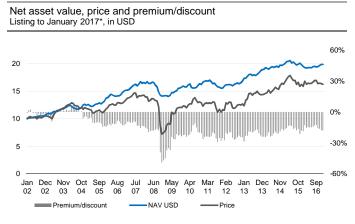
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD	MSCI	JPM
				-										World	GBI
2017	-0.05												-0.05	1.36	-0.69
2016	-1.51	-1.02	-0.57	0.47	0.00	-0.10	1.04	0.36	-0.66	0.31	1.23	0.91	0.40	10.04	3.69
2015	0.81	1.31	1.49	-0.20	1.03	-2.14	0.99	-1.52	-1.30	0.76	1.05	-1.54	0.66	2.57	1.35
2014	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

0.9906

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 / Bloomberg

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Key facts

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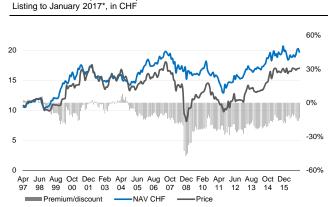
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Net asset value, price and premium/discount

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 8,801,747 shares.

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