# Devon Funds Management

# Devon Webinar August 2016

## **Devon Funds**

# Performance to 31 July 2016 (net of fees and before tax)

## **Australian Fund**

Performance to 31-July-2016	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	2 Years p.a.	3 years p.a.	5 years p.a.
Australian	7.38%	3.94%	9.11%	4.50%	9.17%	12.10%	10.41%
ASX 200 index NZD (Unhedged)	7.14%	3.21%	9.58%	-2.40%	2.01%	5.63%	5.81%
Relative	0.24%	0.73%	-0.47%	6.90%	7.16%	6.47%	4.60%

### **Dividend Yield Fund**

Performance to 31-July-2016	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	2 Years p.a.	3 years p.a.
Dividend Yield Fund*	7.66%	7.07%	15.32%	23.60%	19.89%	19.66%
TT Index (Hedged)	6.41%	7.31%	16.38%	13.24%	11.63%	12.73%
Relative	1.25%	-0.24%	-1.06%	10.36%	8.26%	6.93%

<sup>\*</sup> Fund commenced Dec 12

### **Trans-Tasman**

Performance to 31-July-2016	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	2 Years p.a.	. 3 years p.a.	5 years p.a.
Trans-Tasman	7.64%	5.63%	13.89%	11.70%	13.49%	16.31%	14.10%
TT Index	6.84%	5.47%	14.33%	10.85%	10.63%	11.53%	11.25%
Relative	0.80%	0.16%	-0.44%	0.85%	2.86%	4.78%	2.85%

## **Alpha**

Performance to 31-July-2016	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	2 Years p.a.	3 years p.a.	5 years p.a.
Alpha	3.85%	3.77%	9.01%	6.86%	10.31%	14.69%	14.24%
Official cash rate	0.19%	0.56%	1.14%	2.51%	2.98%	2.90%	2.74%
Relative	3.66%	3.21%	7.87%	4.35%	7.33%	11.79%	11.50%



## **Global economy**

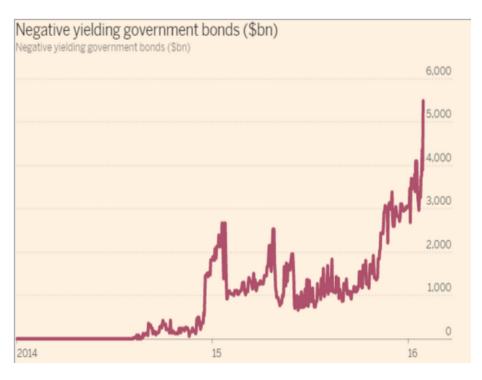
## A subdued global economy in a low interest rate environment

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#### **Global GDP**



### **Negative yielding government bonds**





# Australian political situation remains frustrating

# Turnball's gamble didn't pay off but he remains in power

#### House of Representatives

	seats	change
Liberal/National Coalition	76	-14
Australian Labor Party	68	+13
Others	5	0
Seats in doubt	1	
Total	150	

Source: AEC

#### Senate\*

	seats	change
Liberal/National Coalition	30	-3
Australian Labor Party	27	+2
Others	15	-3
Seats in doubt	4	
Total	76	

Source: AEC

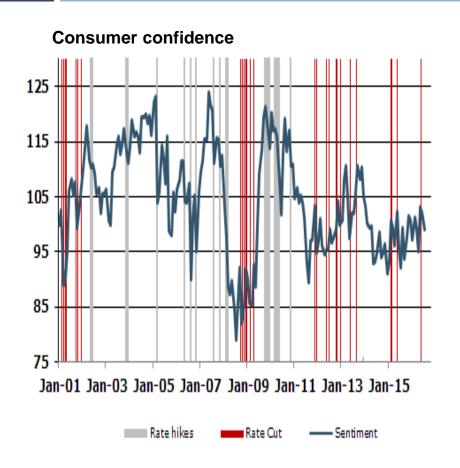
<sup>\*</sup> Senate vote count won't be completed until next month. Final results will be dependent upon flow of preferences.

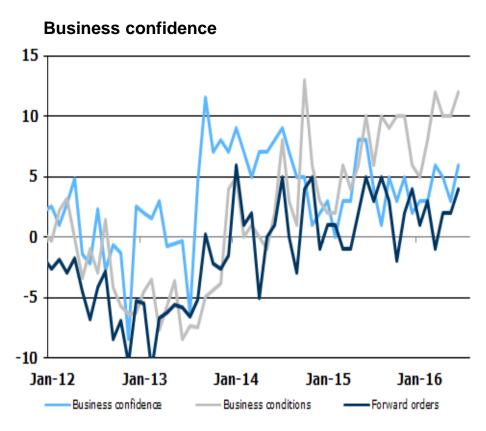


# **Australian economy**

# Sentiment mixed but growth continues

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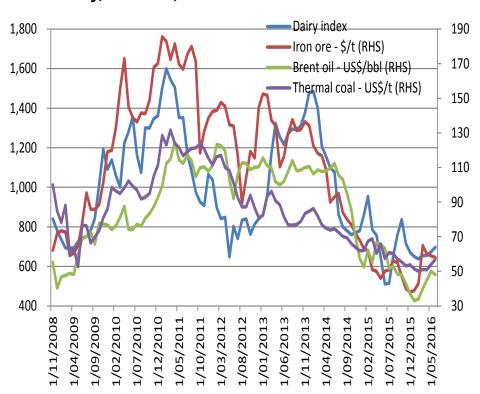


## **Commodities**

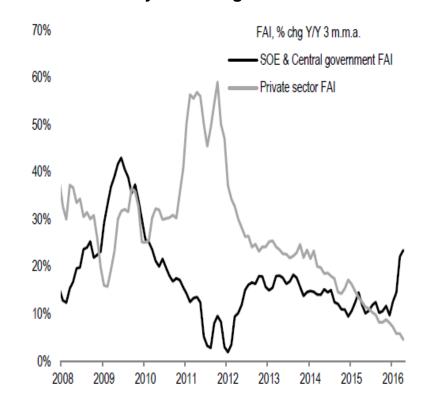
## Markets more balanced but Chinese demand key to higher prices

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#### Dairy, iron ore, thermal coal & oil



### **Demand driven by Chinese government stimulus**

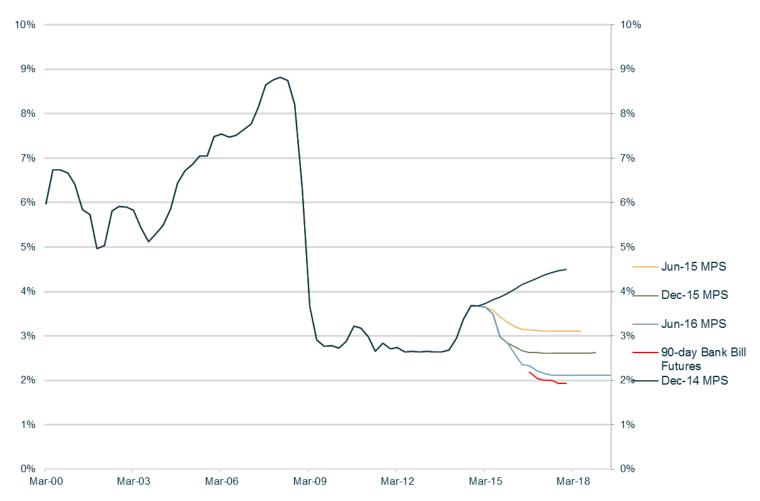




# The RBNZ keeps weighing on interest rate expectations

# Concerns over domestic inflation and global conditions

## **RBNZ 90-day Interest Rate Forecasts**

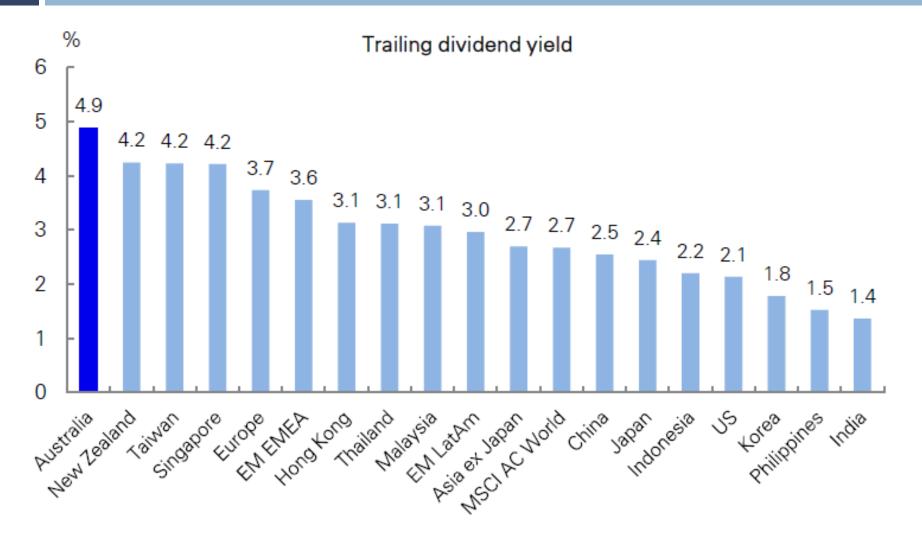


Source: RBNZ, FNZC

# Australasia's world leading dividend yields remain attractive

Especially given the frustration of low rates from traditional sources







## **ASX 200 in FY2016**

# Flat performance after dividends but remained a stock pickers market

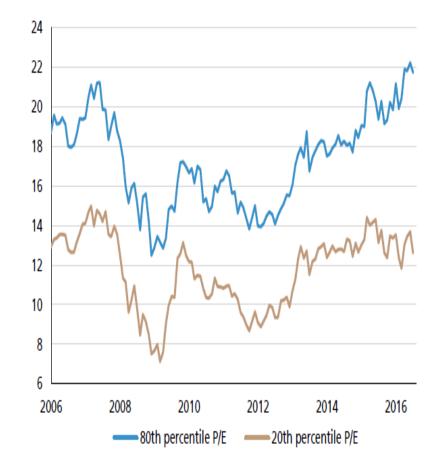
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Major sectors

## ASX 200 sector performance in FY2016

RESOURCES	-12.0%
FINANCIALS	-3.8%
INDUSTRIALS ex FINANCIALS	+11.7%
Sub-sectors	
Infrastructure	+40.6%
REITS	+24.6%
Utilities	+24.5%
Gaming	+23.0%
Health Care	+21.5%
Discretionary Retail	+19.5%
General Industrials	+19.2%
Media	+13.4%
Materials ex Mining	+4.5%
Consumer Staples	+1.6%
Telcos	-0.7%
Other Financials	-2.7%
Insurance	-3.6%
Mining & Metals	-7.5%
Banks	-10.4%
Energy	-21.7%

## "High" P/E versus "Low" P/E

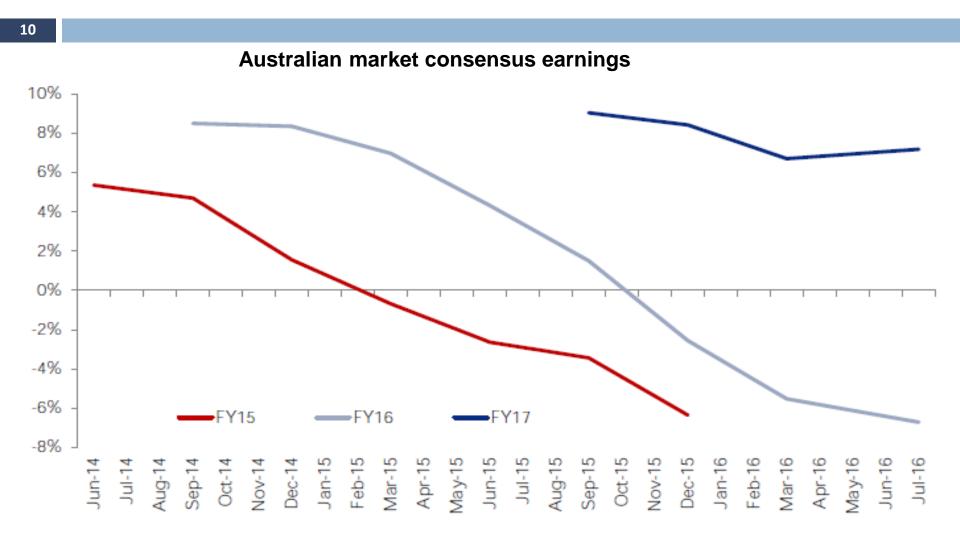


Source: UBS



# We are fast approaching the next reporting season

We expect results will see FY17 consensus earnings cut





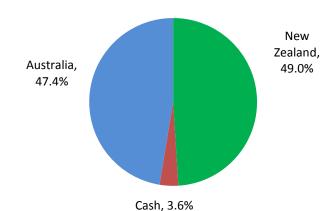
# **Trans-Tasman Portfolio** as at 31 July 2016

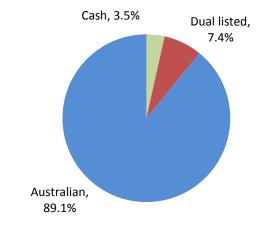
# **Australian Portfolio** as at 31 July 2016

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Stock name	Country	Holding
Fletcher Building	NZ	7.1%
Vista Group Holdings	NZ	5.8%
National Australia Bank	ASX	5.3%
Contact Energy	NZ	4.9%
Westpac Banking Corp.	ASX	4.5%
Spark NZ Ltd	NZ	4.4%
Suncorp Group	ASX	4.1%
oOh!media	ASX	3.9%
GTN Limited	ASX	3.8%
Sky City	NZ	3.7%

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Westpac Banking Corp.	ASX	10.5%
National Australia Bank	ASX	10.5%
Telstra Corp.	ASX	6.1%
Vista Group Holdings	ASX	5.7%
Suncorp Group	ASX	5.6%
oOh!media	ASX	4.7%
GTN Limited	ASX	4.6%
Spark Infrastructure	ASX	4.2%
AMP	ASX	4.1%
Stockland	ASX	3.7%





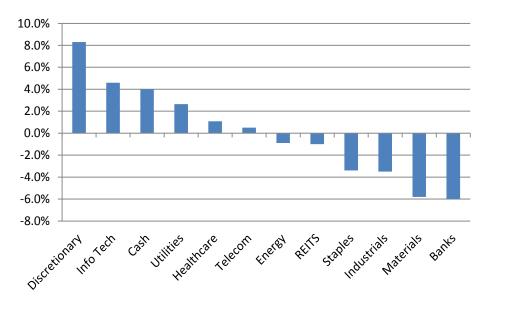
## **Fund positioning**

## Remain underweight Banks, miners and expensive Industrials

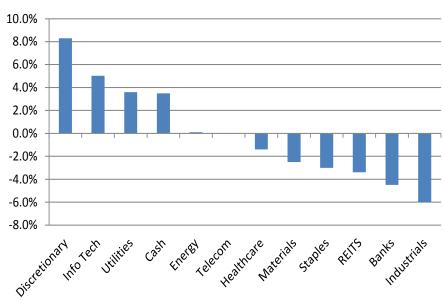
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- The ASX 200 is dominated by Banks, Resources and Industrials
- NZ is dominated by Utilities, Telecoms, Healthcare, REITS and Industrials
- We only focus on individual company positions and do not take sector views
- But in aggregate the Funds are overweight Consumer discretionary, Tech, Utilities and mid-caps against underweight positions in Mining, Staples, Industrials and Banks

#### **Devon Australian Fund `positioning**



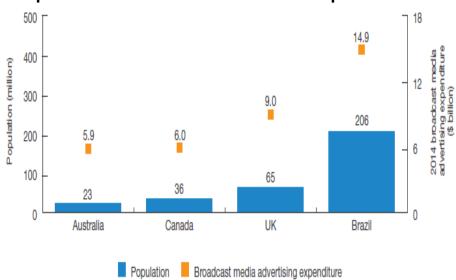
#### **Devon Trans-Tasman Fund sector positioning**



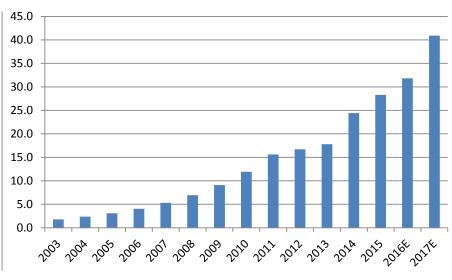
# **Fund Holdings**GTN – overweight

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# Population & broadcast media advertising expenditure in countries where GTN operates



### GTN Australia (ARN) EBITDA progression – A\$m

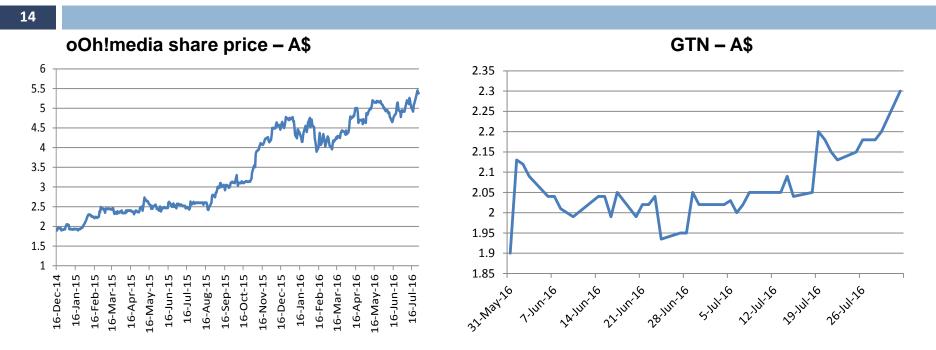


- GTN's model is simple yet compelling obtain ad spots adjacent to traffic / news/
  information reports from its large radio affiliate network in exchange for supplying affiliates
  with traffic reports and in some cases cash compensation
- Ad spots are then packaged and on-sold by GTN to large, national advertisers at a premium
- Over 80% of earnings are from Australia but Canada, Brazil and the US present material opportunities. The company is trading on 16.5x earnings and a dividend 5% yield.



## **Fund Holdings**

## GTN has many of the hallmarks of our oOh!media investment



- GTN listed at a A\$1.90 share price with a A\$400m market capitalisation
- Only one investment bank has stock coverage and we have a better understanding of the business than anyone in the market
- Our analysis points to significant growth ahead in the Canadian, Brazilian and potentially the US market
- GTN shares many of the attributes which lead to oOh!media being a successful investment

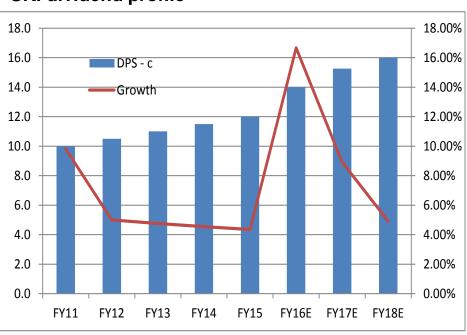
# **Fund Holdings**Spark Infrastructure (SKI)

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### SKI - Key assets

SA Power Networks	49.0% Interest	SA Power Networks is the sole operator of South Australia's electricity distribution network, supplying around 852,000 residential and commercial customers in all regions and the major population centres.
CITIPOWER	49.0% Interest	CitiPower owns and operates the distribution network that supplies electricity to around 326,000 customers in Melbourne's CBD and inner suburbs.
Powercor usum	49.0% Interest	Powercor is the largest distributor of electricity in Victoria, owning and operating a network that serves around 768,000 customers in central and western Victoria and the western suburbs of Melbourne.
TransGrid	15.01% Interest	TransGrid is the largest high-voltage electricity transmission network in the National Electricity Market (NEM) by electricity transmitted, connecting generators, distributors and major end users in NSW and the ACT and forms the backbone of the NEM connecting QLD, NSW, VIC and the ACT.

## SKI dividend profile



- SKI has the best quality regulated assets amongst peers and a good distributable cashflow yield
- With regulatory uncertainty now over SKI yields 6% despite a >25% share price performance year-to-date and has a strong dividend growth profile



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