

ASX: PE1 PENGANA PRIVATE EQUITY TRUST

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AUGUST 2023

CO-INVESTING IN AN INSURANCE BROKERAGE

NAV PER UNIT¹ 1 MONTH PERFORMANCE² SINCE INCEPTION PERFORMANCE (P.A.)^{2,3} TARGET DISTRIBUTION YIELD⁴

\$1.6436

4.5%

11.1%

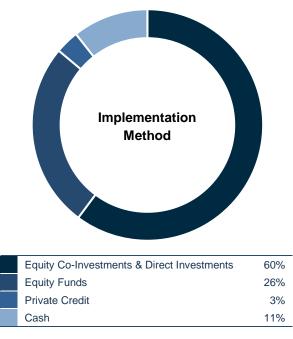
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COMMENTARY

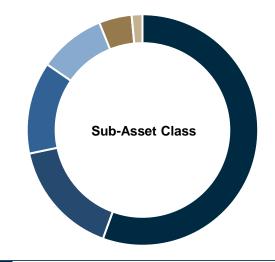
The Trust returned +4.5% over August, with a broad +1.3% contribution across our co-investments, direct investments, and secondaries. The remainder of the month's returns resulted from the depreciation of the AUD versus foreign currencies.

We recently co-invested in HUB International ("HUB"), the fifth largest global insurance brokage with a US\$23bn EV and a US\$13bn market cap. HUB sells and renews insurance plans, collecting a percentage of the annual insurance premiums. Our entry multiple represents a 2x discount to the closest public comparables despite HUB's superior growth, margin profile, and industry leading M&A platform. We also view the entry point favourably on an absolute basis given the durability of the insurance brokerage industry – public comparables experienced only 2% organic revenue declines in 2009 while HUB grew organically every quarter through Covid.

PORTFOLIO DIVERSIFICATION

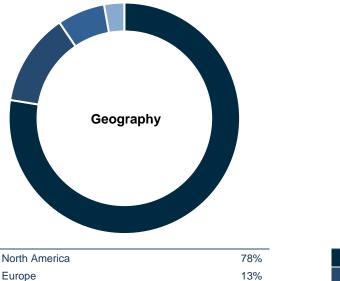


Cash includes short duration credit which may be used as a cash management tool.



Buyout	56%
Structured Equity ⁶	16%
Growth Equity	13%
Special Situations (Including Credit)	9%
Real Estate	5%
Venture Capital	0%
Other	1%

Allocations exclude short duration credit and cash held directly by the Trust and indirectly through underlying funds; includes only private market investments. Refer to footnote 5 for the calculation methodology.



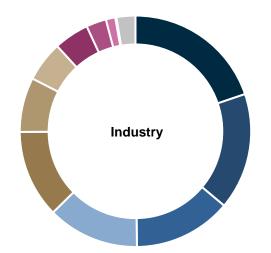
7%

3%

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Europe Asia/Oceania

Other



Information Technology	20%
Industrials	16%
Consumer Discretionary	14%
Financials	13%
Health Care	12%
Consumer Staples	8%
Real Estate	6%
Materials	5%
Communication Services	3%
Energy	1%
Utilities	0%
Other	3%

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NAV PER UNIT PERFORMANCE AS AT 31 AUGUST 2023 ^{2, 3}



INVESTMENT ACTIVITY – SELECTED HIGHLIGHTS⁷

EQUITY CO-INVESTMENTS



We recently invested in **HUB International**, the fifth largest global insurance brokage with a US\$23bn EV and a US\$13bn market cap. HUB has been owned by Hellman and Friedman ("H&F") since 2013 and given the choppy IPO market, H&F completed a minority recap of the business led by Leonard Green Partners to give fund limited partners and company management some liquidity. HUB operates within the middle market (min. US\$100k in annual premiums) where agents help clients (primarily businesses) identify their insurance needs. The company then sells and renews insurance plans, collecting a percentage of the annual insurance premiums. HUB does not take any balance sheet risk with respect to insurance claims.

We believe the financing is priced attractively given the limited buyer universe of sponsors who could write a sizeable minority equity check and don't own a competitor. Our entry multiple represents a 2x discount to the closest public comparables despite HUB's superior growth, margin profile, and industry leading M&A platform. In addition to the attractive discount to public competitors, we view the entry point favourably on an absolute basis given the durability of the insurance brokerage industry. Public comparables experienced only 2% organic revenue declines in 2009 while HUB grew organically every quarter through Covid. HUB is also the market leader in M&A with 800 acquisitions and US\$3.1bn of acquired revenue since inception in 1998. The insurance brokerage industry remains highly fragmented and HUB should continue to be able to acquire sub-scale brokerages at a 2-4x discount with an ability to further blend down the multiple via cost synergies and cross-sell opportunities.

1. The NAV is unaudited

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