

Monthly Performance Report - March 2024

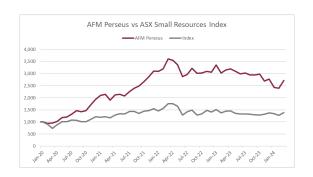
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Fund Performance

	1 Month	3 Months	FYTD	12 Months	Restart
AFM Perseus	13.5%	-1.7%	-9.0%	-13.6%	172.1%
S&P ASX Small Resources	8.2%	0.9%	3.7%	-4.6%	38.3%
Outperformance	5.3%	-2.6%	-12.7%	-9.0%	133.7%

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- The AFM Perseus Fund gained 13.5% in March, outperforming its benchmark, the ASX Small Resources Index, which gained 8.2% for the month.
- Over the quarter, AFM Perseus fell 1.7% and underperformed its benchmark which gained 0.9% over the same period.
- Since its restart (1 January 2020), the Fund has delivered a cumulative return
 of 172.1% and outperformed its benchmark which has returned 38.3% over
 the same time horizon.
- The Fund's share price as at 31 March 2024 was 23.84 cents. The Fund has \$628,848 in deferred tax losses that are available to offset against future taxable profits. This equates to an additional 18.04 cents per share.



*Illustrates the relative performance of a \$1,000 investment in AFM Perseus and S&P ASX Small Resources at the restart date of the Fund (1st January 2020). In March 2021, AFM Perseus Fund completed a capital raise of \$655,634 at 20 cents / share (Feb 2021 price - 23.39 cents / share). This capital raise had a diluting impact on the share price, equating to approximately 7% of the Fund's performance.

AFM Perseus Top Holdings (by company)

Company	Commodity	%
Firefly	Cu/Au	20.6%
NexGen	Uranium	13.9%
Capricorn	Gold	10.0%
MMI Offshore	RE	9.2%
Patriot	Lithium	7.4%
Total		61.1%

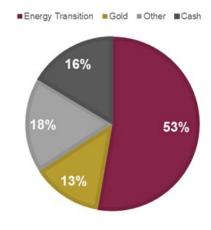
Market Overview

- Markets were strong in March with the Dow Jones up 2.1% and the S&P 500 up 3.1%. Australian markets followed suit with the ASX 300 rising 2.6% and the All Ords up 2.4%. The US 10-year yield eased back to 4.2% and the \$AUD firmed against the \$USD finishing at 65.24c.
- Resource markets also rebounded with the ASX 300 Resources Index lifting by 2.5% and the Small Resources Index jumping 8.2%. While Metals & Mining and Materials both rose by 2.2%, the standout was again gold, with the gold index surging 16% on the back of an 8.4% increase in the gold price.
- Across the other commodities, copper and brent crude rose by 4.7% and 4.6%, respectively. Zinc also increased 2.1%. Nickel remained under pressure, falling by 3.6% while iron ore took a pounding, falling 12.4% to close at \$US110t.

Portfolio Overview

- The top three performers for the quarter were copper developers Firefly Metals (+48%) and New World Resources (+22%), along with MMI Offshore (+22%) and gold explorer Warriedar (+48%). Weaker performers included lithium explorers Patriot (-7%) and Global Lithium (-16%). We have previously noted the write down in Abyssinian Metals.
- At month end, the portfolio was 53% Energy Transition, 13% Gold, 18% other opportunities and 16% cash. Top 5 holdings were Firefly, NexGen, Capricorn, MMI Offshore and Patriot.

AFM Perseus Portfolio Exposure (by type)



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