## Betashares S&P 500 Equal Weight **Currency Hedged ETF**





**ASX: HQUS** 

12 July 2024

## **Objective**

HQUS aims to track the performance of the S&P 500 Equal Weight AUD Hedged Index NTR (before fees and expenses). The Index provides exposure to 500 leading listed US companies, with each holding in the index weighted equally. HQUS currently obtains its investment exposure by investing in the Betashares S&P 500 Equal Weight ETF (ASX: QUS), with the foreign currency exposure hedged back to the Australian dollar.

#### **Benefits**



#### Portfolio diversification

Cost-effective exposure to an equally weighted portfolio of 500 leading US companies.



#### **Reduced concentration**

An equal weighting approach reduces the risk of the portfolio being heavily exposed to a small number of 'mega cap' companies.



#### Currency-hedged

HQUS is currency-hedged to the Australian dollar, which seeks to minimise the effect of currency fluctuations on returns.

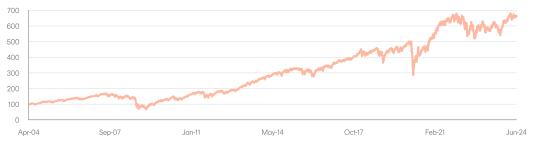
### Performance<sup>\*</sup>

PERIOD	1 mth	3 mth	6 mth	1 yr	3 yr (p.a.)	5 yr (p.a.)	10 yr (p.a.)	Inception (p.a.)
FUND	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INDEX	-0.60%	-3.06%	4.12%	8.82%	1.90%	7.69%	8.32%	9.81%

## Calendar year performance\*

PERIOD	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
FUND	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INDEX	4.12%	10.12%	-14.48%	28.05%	7.50%	26.57%	-9.14%	18.68%

Value of \$100 invested since index inception



Source: Betashares, Bloomberg. Past performance is not indicative of future performance.

Graph shows performance of the underlying index, and not the fund. It does not take into account fund fees and costs, Index performance based on reinvestment of income. Index inception date is 30 April 2004. Fund returns are calculated in A\$ using net asset value per unit at the start and end of the specified period and do not reflect the brokerage or bid-ask spread that investors may incur when buying and selling units on the ASX. Returns are after fund management costs, assume reinvestment of any distributions and do not take into account income tax.

\*As at 28 June 2024

## **Fund information**

Betashares Funds can be bought or sold during the trading day on the ASX, and trade like shares.

**ASX CODE HQUS BLOOMBERG CODE** HQUS AU **IRESS CODE HQUS.AXW** DISTRIBUTIONS SEMI-ANNUAL MGT FEE" 0.32% P.A. **FUND INCEPTION 10 JUL 24** 

\*\*Other costs, such as transaction costs, may apply. Refer to the PDS for

## About the index

**INDEX** S&P 500 EQUAL WEIGHT AUD HEDGED INDEX NTR

**BLOOMBERG CODE** SPXEWHAN

FORWARD P/E RATIO 16.41x

P/B RATIO 2 95x WEIGHTED AVG MARKET CAP A\$142.09B

NO OF COMPONENTS 500

Categorisation

US SHARES

CORE EXPOSURE

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### Index sector allocation\*



## Top 10 index exposures\*

COMPANY	WEIGHTING		
Carnival Corp	0.2%		
FedEx Corp	0.2%		
LyondellBasell Industries NV	0.2%		
Loews Corp	0.2%		
Norwegian Cruise Line	0.2%		
SBA Communications Corp	0.2%		
GE HealthCare Technologies Inc	0.2%		
Cisco Systems Inc	0.2%		
Caesars Entertainment Inc	0.2%		
Fair Isaac Corp	0.2%		

## Underlying index dividend yield\*

12 mth trailing dividend yield (%)

1.9%

Yield does not take into account fund fees and costs. Yield will vary and may be lower at the time of investment. Past performance is not indicative of future performance.

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