QUALITAS REAL ESTATE INCOME FUND (ASX:QRI)

ARSN 627 917 971

Performance Update – August 2021





QRI Highlights

Net Return ¹ (% p.a.)						
1 month (%) p.a.	7.38%					
12 month (%) p.a.	6.14%					
Distribution						
Current month	\$0.007894 / unit					
Current month % p.a.	5.81%					

QRI investment benefits

- Experienced Institutional local based Manager
- Regular and stable monthly cash distributions² Return is an attractive premium³ to current low cash rate Capital preservation: loans / real property mortgages
- Exposure to the property market
- Simple credit strategy of investing in only Commercial Real Estate (CRE) loans

QRI Key Metrics as at 31 August 2021

Market Cap / Trust NAV	\$441m / \$428m
Invested Capital ⁴	\$398m
Unit Price	\$1.650
Unit NAV	\$1.6022
Total Invested positions ⁵	16
Total Loans ⁶	32
Weighted LVR ⁷	65%
Weighted loan maturity ⁶	1.3 years
Loans in arrears ⁸	-
Fixed / Floating interest exposure	97% / 3%

Key Information⁹

Target Return	RBA Cash Rate ¹⁰ + 5.0% to 6.5% p.a. (net)
Investment Type	Listed Investment Trust
Distributions	Monthly
Unit Pricing	Weekly
Distribution Reinvestment Plan (DRP)	Yes - Activate

Investment Objective

To achieve the Target Return, and provide monthly cash income, capital preservation and portfolio diversification⁹.

Investment Strategy

Seek to achieve the Investment Objective by investing in a portfolio of investments that offers exposure to commercial real estate loans secured by first and second mortgages, predominantly located in Australia.

Market Update and Investment Activity

Despite the continuing COVID-19 lockdowns in NSW and VIC, alternative lenders are very active in the CRE debt market resulting in a more competitive environment. The Manager is seeing the arrival of large amounts of overseas capital into the Australian market which continues to put pressure on returns.

Despite the competition the Manager continues to actively originate opportunities and is comfortable with the depth and diversity of its CRE debt pipeline. Mandated loans within the pipeline are approx. \$325m in total and comprises of residual stock loans, investment loans and a mezzanine construction loan.

As of 31 August 2021, the invested capital of the Trust increased to 93% as a result of the settlement of two residual stock loans totalling \$53.5m. The Trust also allocated \$20.8m of capital to a new investment loan and an increase to an existing construction loan, both are expected to settle in September.

Repayments totalled \$11.0m which included two full senior loan exits and partial repayments across residual stock and construction loans. The residential sector is performing strongly, and completed apartments continues to sell very well which supports residual stock loan repayments.

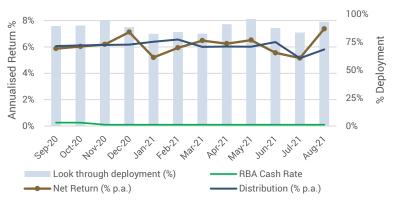
The Manager is pleased to deliver an attractive risk-adjusted return for the Trust with a August net return of 7.38% p.a. and distribution return of 5.81% p.a. achieved, in line with the current Target Return of 5.10% to 6.60% p.a.

The loan portfolio is performing and has met all investment objectives, with no impairments or interest arrears recorded as of the date of this release.

ORI Historical Performance

_		1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	12 Mth	24 Mth
	Net Return (%) ¹	0.63%	1.52%	3.14%	6.14%	-
_	Net Return (% p.a.)	7.38%	6.04%	6.22%	6.14%	6.20%
	Distribution (¢/unit)	0.7894	2.3264	4.7530	9.6976	19.5971
	Distribution Return (% p.a.)	5.81%	5.76%	5.89%	6.05%	6.09%

*Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.



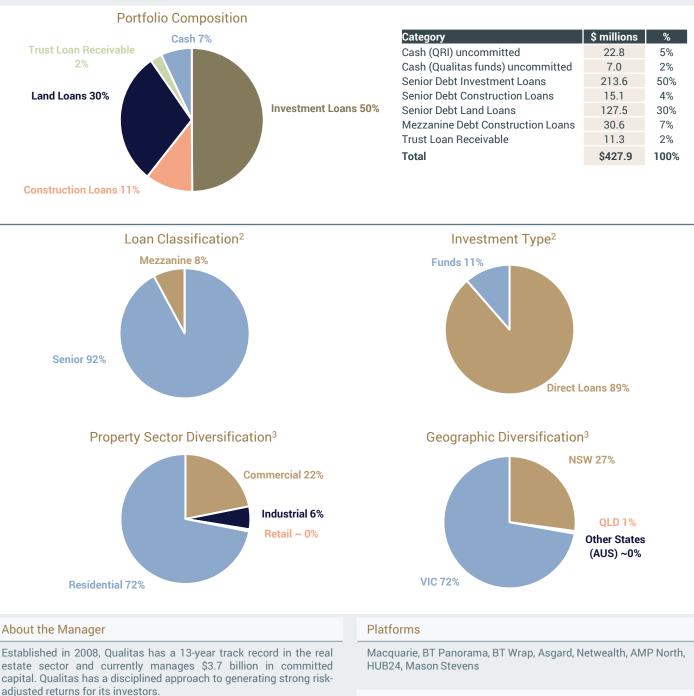
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QRI Portfolio Diversification¹



Qualitas' investment strategies include senior and mezzanine debt, preferred and ordinary equity investments in real estate development, value-add, repositioning, special situations and other opportunistic transactions.

Key Service Providers

Mana	ager	QRI Manager Pty Ltd – an authorised representative of Qualitas Securities Pty Ltd
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Responsible Entity

Upcoming Investor Events & Key Dates

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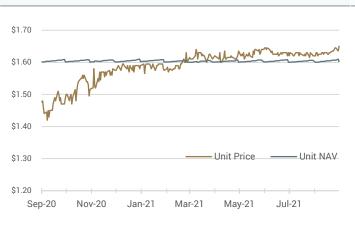
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Monthly Historical Performance

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Year	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	YTD
Distributions (¢/unit)													
FY19	-	-	-	-	-	0.1534	0.2416	0.2464	0.3784	0.6719	0.6463	0.8397 ¹	3.1777
FY20	0.8150	0.7370	0.9511 ¹	0.7906	0.7896	0.9099	0.8233	0.7989	0.7539	0.8405	0.8152	0.7882	9.8132
FY21	0.7914	0.8469	0.7956	0.8289	0.8076	0.8373	0.8692	0.8060	0.8163	0.7927	0.8176	0.8376	9.8471
FY22	0.6994	0.7894											1.4888
Net Re	<u>eturn (%)</u>												
FY19	-	-	-	-	0.02%	0.08%	0.12%	0.15%	0.25%	0.41%	0.44%	0.49% ²	1.96%
FY20	0.53%	0.45%	0.66% ²	0.49% ²	0.49%	0.61%	0.51%	0.49%	0.45%	0.55%	0.49%	0.51%	6.23%
FY21	0.50%	0.59%	0.48%	0.51%	0.51%	0.60%	0.44%	0.46%	0.55%	0.51% ²	0.55%	0.46%	6.16%
FY22	0.44%	0.63%											1.07%

Unit Price vs NAV



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Notes

Page 1 [1] Net returns are calculated based on the daily weighted average NAV across the respective time periods.

[2] The payment of monthly cash income is a goal of the Trust only and neither the Manager or the Responsible Entity provide any representation or warranty (whether express or implied) in relation to the payment of any monthly cash income

[3] The premium achieved is commensurate to the investment risk undertaken.

[4] Invested Capital represents the amount of the Trust's total capital that has been committed and invested as at month end in loans (on a look through basis to the Qualitas Funds) and the Trust Loan Receivable.

[5] All investments including direct loans are made by the Sub-Trust. The Sub-Trust is wholly owned by the Trust.

[6] Represents total loans in the portfolio on a look through basis, via investments in direct loans and Qualitas wholesale funds.

[7] Represents total LVR of loans in the portfolio on a look through basis, via investments in direct loans and Qualitas wholesale funds.

[8] Represents % of loan portfolio on look through-basis in arrears by 90 days or more

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[1] The portfolio statistics are determined on a look-through basis having regard to the loans in the underlying Qualitas Funds as indicated. The classifications of these diversification parameters are determined by the Manager. Figures stated are subject to rounding.

[2] Excludes Trust Loan Receivable & cash.

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[1] Calculated based on units entitled to the distribution. The units entitled to the Sep-19 distribution excludes units issued under the Wholesale and Early Retail Entitlement Offers.

[2] Net Return calculated based on weighted average NAV.