

# Global Equities

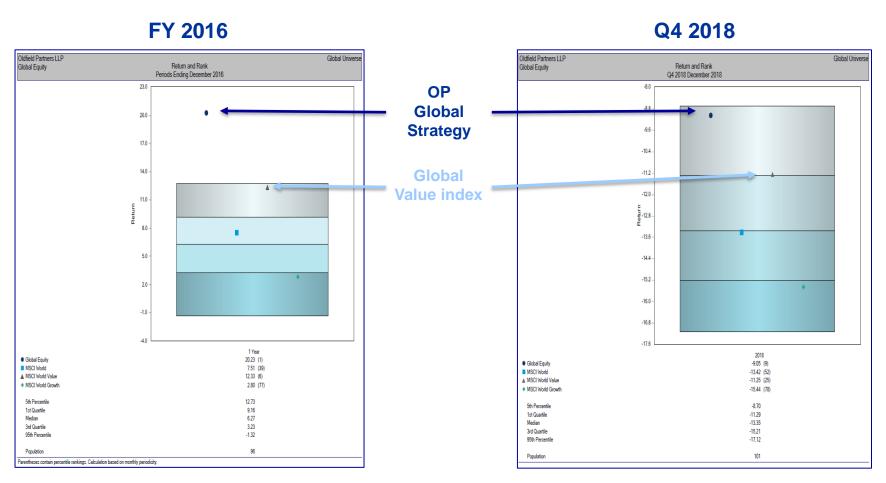
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Monthly data. Average returns of Fama-French Large/Small Value benchmark portfolios.
 Source: Log scale US Value/Growth, relative performance. Shaded areas mark recessions. BofA Merrill Lynch Global Investment Strategy 11<sup>th</sup> October 2018, Fama-French.
 MSCI World Value/ MSCI World Growth to end March 2021.

### Oldfield Partners – Value investing is at our core

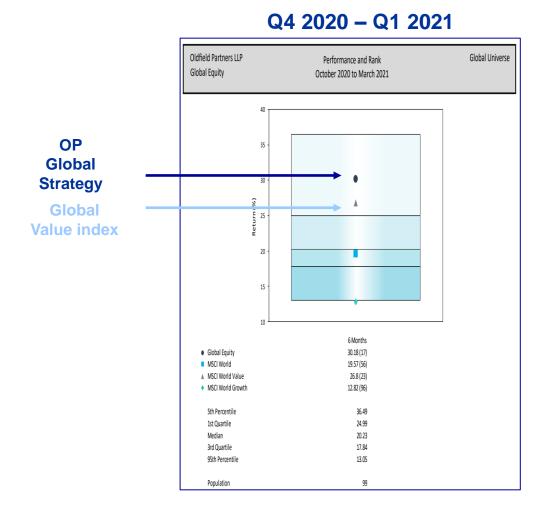


"With every new wave of optimism or pessimism, we are ready to abandon history and time-tested principles." - Benjamin Graham, The Intelligent Investor

#### Delivering when Value works

Source: Intersec Global Universe.

## Oldfield Partners – delivering when value works

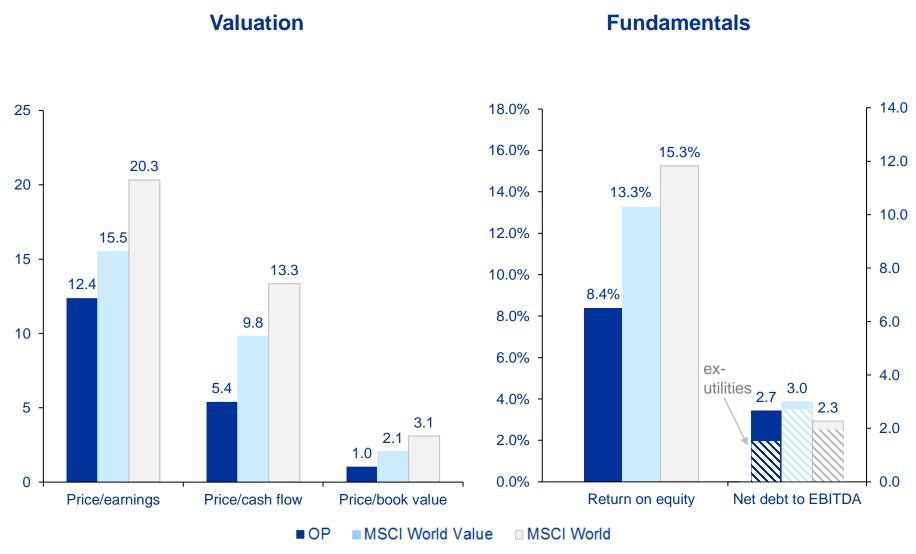


### Performance since the vaccine



## Strategy performance

		\$		£			
	Overstone Global Equity Fund	MSCI World	MSCI World Value	Overstone Global Equity Fund	MSCI World	MSCI World Value	
Since vaccine+	+38.5%	+19.5%	+30.2%	+28.4%	+10.8%	+20.7%	
2021 to date	+17.1%	+9.6%	+15.8%	+12.6%	+5.4%	+11.3%	
2020	-5.3%	+15.9%	-1.2%	-8.0%	+12.6%	-4.0%	
2019	+16.4%	+27.7%	+21.7%	+11.8%	+22.7%	+17.0%	
2018	-9.5%	-8.7%	-10.8%	-4.0%	-3.1%	-5.3%	
2017	+18.2%	+22.4%	+17.1%	+7.9%	+11.7%	+6.9%	
2016	+21.1%	+7.5%	+12.3%	+44.5%	+28.3%	+34.1%	
Since inception annualised*	+6.3%	+8.2%	+6.2%	+8.0%	+9.9%	+7.9%	



Source: OP, Bloomberg. Date: As at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2021.

Representative global portfolio used. Based on MSCI method. Net debt/EBITDA excludes financials and includes only industrial net debt where applicable.

The ex-utilities net debt/EBITDA values are as follows: OP: 1.6x, MSCI World Value: 2.8x and MSCI World: 2.0x.

## **Investment Environment**

#### **US** valuation

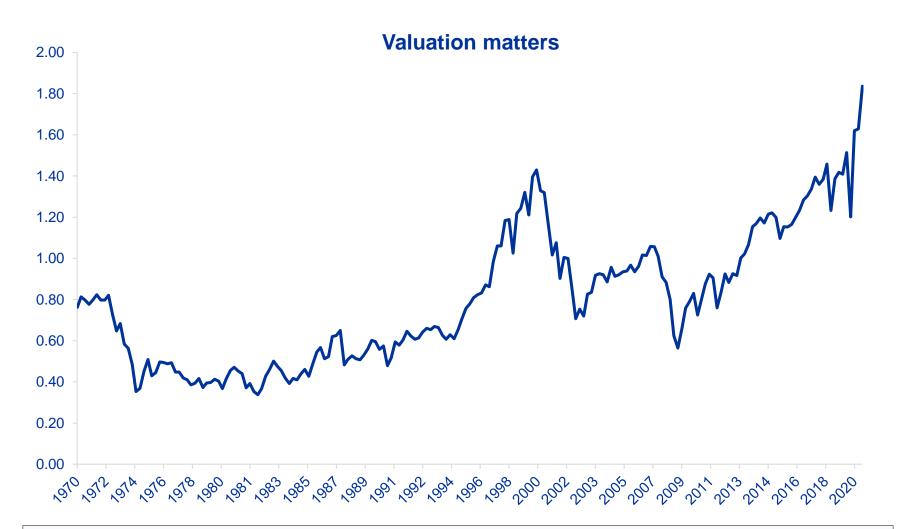
#### Shiller PE Ratio for the S&P 500



## The valuation of the US market has rarely been higher

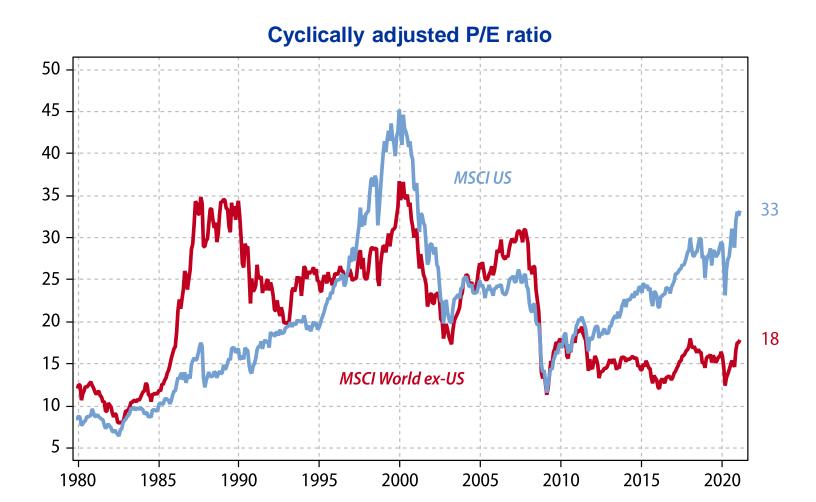
Source: Robert Shiller, Yale University.

## The valuation of the US market – US market cap to GDP



Valuations are now in unchartered territory in many cases

### The re-rating of the US vs international markets



#### Value is found outside of the US market

Source: Gavekal, 4th February 2021

## The US dominates the Value benchmark - Top 20 names in the MSCI Value

	Fwd P/E	P/BV	Fwd P/CF	P/Sales
OP Global Strategy	12.4	1.0	5.4	0.8
JPMORGAN CHASE	11.7	1.8	n/a	3.8
JOHNSON&JOHNSON	17.5	6.4	13.7	4.7
UNITEDHEALTH GRP	21.4	5.4	19.8	1.3
BERKSHIRE HATH-B	24.6	1.4	n/a	2.3
PROCTER & GAMBLE	24.4	7.6	17.7	4.4
HOME DEPOT INC	25.1	108.0	18.5	2.6
BANK OF AMERICA	13.1	1.3	n/a	3.7
INTEL CORP	13.8	3.2	8.3	3.5
COMCAST CORP-A	19.0	2.7	9.9	2.2
VERIZON COMMUNIC	11.5	3.4	6.5	1.8
EXXON MOBIL CORP	17.0	1.5	7.3	0.9
AT&T INC	9.6	1.2	4.9	1.2
CISCO SYSTEMS	16.2	5.5	13.6	4.3
COCA-COLA CO/THE	25.0	11.1	20.1	6.3
CHEVRON CORP	18.7	1.5	7.3	1.4
PFIZER INC	11.8	3.3	18.0	3.5
PEPSICO INC	24.0	13.7	16.8	2.6
MERCK & CO	12.1	n/a	n/a	3.8
NOVARTIS AG-REG	13.9	n/a	n/a	4.2
WALMART INC	25.7	4.8	14.1	0.7

Would raise the overall valuation metrics of our portfolio

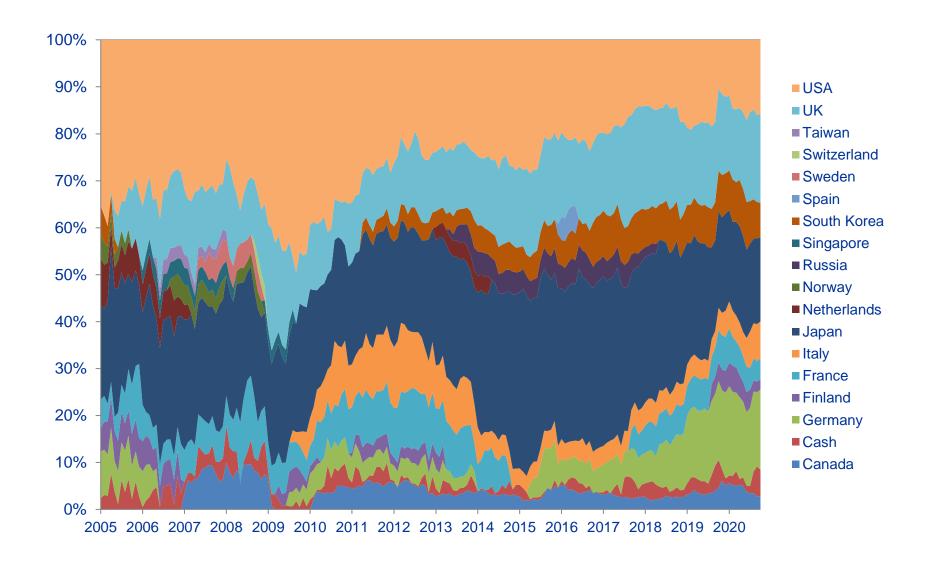
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#### Is the MSCI Value index still value?

Source: MSCI and Bloomberg.

Top 20 constituents for the index as at 31st March 2021. Valuation data as at 21st April 2021.

## Country exposure

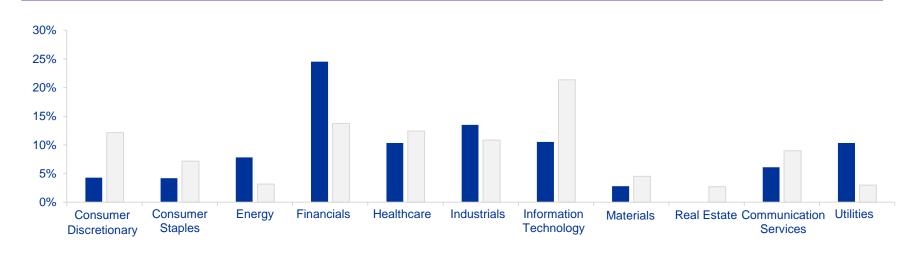


Source: OP.

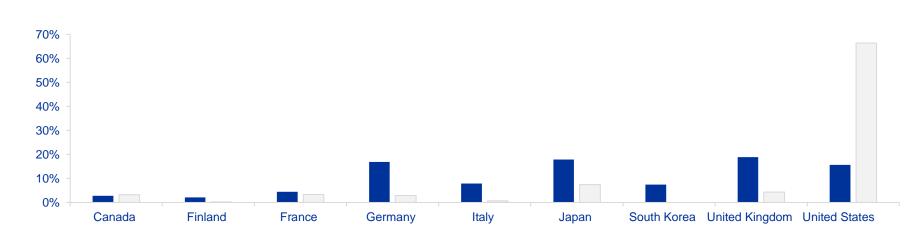
Date: 31st March 2021.

## Global Equity Strategy - portfolio structure

#### **Sector weights**



#### **Country weights**



Source: OP, Bloomberg. Date: 31st March 2021.

Global Equity Strategy

MSCI World Index

## **Portfolio**

## Top contributors and detractors – relative attribution

Q4 2020

Top 5 Contributors		Top 5 Detractors	%
Samsung Electronics	+2.1	Barrick Gold	-1.6
ВТ	+1.3	Sanofi	-0.9
Lloyds	+1.3	E.ON	-0.8
NOV	+1.3	Nokia	-0.7
General Motors	+1.0	Bayer	-0.7

Q1 2021

Top 5 Contributors	%	Top 5 Detractors	%
Hewlett Packard Enterprise	+0.8	Korea Electric Power	-0.8
ВТ	+0.7	Barrick Gold	-0.6
Mitsubishi UFJ	+0.6	Samsung Electronics	-0.3
Nokia	+0.6	Toyota	-0.3
Siemens	+0.6	NOV	-0.2

## Top contributors and detractors – relative attribution

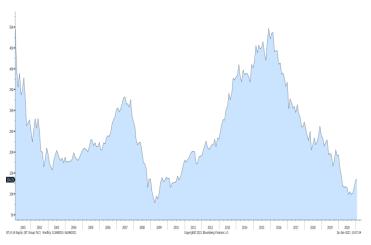
Since vaccine to date\*

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Lloyds	+3.0	Barrick Gold	-1.8
ВТ	+3.0	Sanofi	-0.6
NOV	+2.2	Kansai Electric Power	-0.3
Citigroup	+1.7	E.ON	-0.1
Hewlett Packard Enterprise	+1.6	Nomura	-0.1

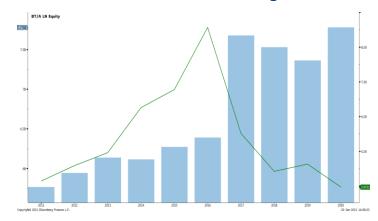
#### BT – value trap vs patience

- UK's dominant communication infrastructure
- Significant headwinds, 2015 500p → 2020 100p
- Openreach (ROIC), Enterprise (sales), pension (interest rates)
- Absolute and historically low valuation
- 2015 acquired EE for £13bn, BT £12bn 03/20
- Openreach +£13bn
- Stabilise CF and deployment to drive value
- OCF £7.5bn to 8.0bn, capex: £4.0 to 4.5bn
- FTTP 'fair bet' catalyst

#### BT share price chart to end 2020



#### BT EBITDA and rating



### Long-term value opportunity

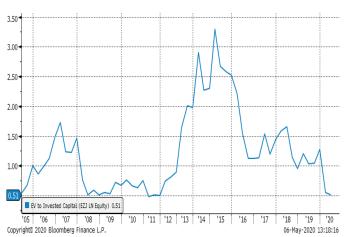
## Key purchases and sales

	Purchases	Sales
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Q4 2020	easyJet, Exor, Berkshire Hathaway, Bayer	Southwest Airlines, Japan Airlines, General Motors Samsung Electronics
Q1 2021	Fresenius	Siemens Energy, Nokia

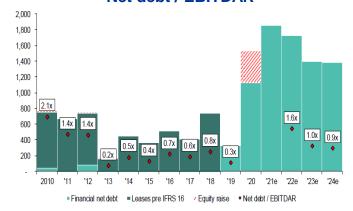
#### easyJet – emerging relatively stronger from vaccine recovery

- Many airlines entered crisis with poor balance sheets
- OP stress tests Q2 2020
- Low cost model deemed superior over-time
- Strong balance sheet and young fleet, 70% owned
- First to recover 83% revenue short-haul
   leisure
- Constrained airports = pricing power
- Cost advantage to grow
- Management incentivised to improve returns

#### **EV to Invested Capital**



#### **Net debt / EBITDAR**

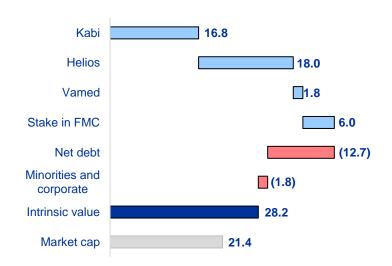


## Long-term industry winner

#### Fresenius – under-rated recovery and growth

- Diversified healthcare group
- Historic rating 18x P/E
- Helios: utility-like profits from hospital business
- Kabi: injectables and nutrition
- FMC: dialysis down, stock market listed recovery potential
- Returns depressed due to investments in biosimilars and COVID-19
- Mid-single digit organic growth
- Initiated position at 11x P/E in March 2021

#### **OP Sum of the Parts (€bn)**





#### Expect discount to narrow as returns improve

Source: Bloomberg, OP research Date: As at 15<sup>th</sup> April 2021

## **ESG**

#### Climate Change





Share and gain knowledge for assessing and engaging on climate related risks

#### Stewardship Committee oversight

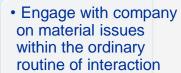
#### Idea generation



- Investors carry out their own appraisal of material ESG issues to an investment thesis
- Dedicated ESG section in all key research notes
- Debated by the wider investment team at weekly team meetings

Include dedicated section for assessing transition risks to a low carbon economy, with scenario analysis for material risks

#### Active ownership



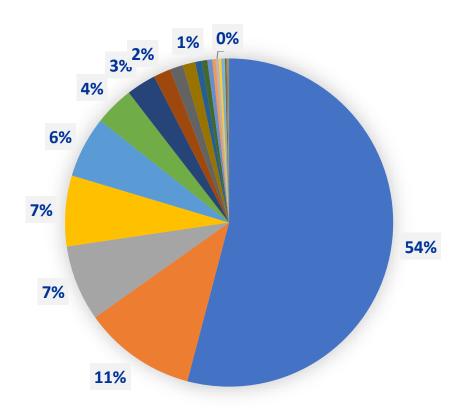
- Stewardship Committee oversees progress of engagements
- MSCI Controversies
   Alert system to monitor new or existing controversies

#### **Escalation process**

- Withholding support or voting against management (and informing them)
- Meeting with nonexecutive directors or the chairman
- Collaborative intervention with other institutional investors
- Engaging with regulatory or governmental bodies

Collaborative engagement with CA 100+ signatories

## Global Equity Strategy: Carbon intensity contribution





Source: OP and MSCI data

Date: 2020 data (except EZJ 2019) as at April 2021. Representative global equities portfolio used.

## Global Equity Strategy – holdings and valuation methodologies

Valuation Target Valuation (Analyst)							
Company Name	% Portfolio	Share Price	Primary valuation method	Fair value	Upside	Total return (2 years)	Resp.
BT GROUP PLC	6.1	156	SOTP + P/E	226	44%	49%	SZ
SIEMENS AG-REG	5.9	141	P/E	155	9%	15%	CO
LLOYDS BANKING GROUP PLC	5.2	42.77	P/TBV + P/E	66	53%	63%	RG/SZ
E.ON SE	5.1	9.94	P/E	12.50	26%	36%	SZ
BAYER AG-REG	5.0	53	SOTP	71	33%	41%	СО
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO LTD	4.9	85,400	PE + net cash per share	91,900	8%	12%	AF
BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC-CL B	4.8	263	SOTP + look through earnings + P/B	369	40%	40%	JL
SANOFI	4.4	84	P/CF	108	28%	36%	SZ/RG
MITSUBISHI UFJ FINANCIAL GRO	4.3	611	P/E + P/TBV	708	16%	24%	AG
ENI SPA	4.2	10.57	P/B	12.80	21%	34%	NW
TOYOTA MOTOR CORP	4.2	8,461	P/B	9,700	15%	20%	JM
TESCO PLC	4.1	228	P/E, P/B, P/CF, EV/EBITDA	299	31%	44%	NW
MITSUBISHI HEAVY INDUSTRIES	3.9	3,400	P/B	3,939	16%	21%	AG
CITIGROUP INC	3.8	73	P/E + P/TBV	90	24%	30%	RG
EXOR NV	3.7	72	SOTP	95	32%	33%	SZ
NOVINC	3.6	13.83	EV/EBITDA	25.00	81%	81%	HF
EASYJET PLC	3.5	1,009	P/S + P/E	1,450	44%	45%	SZ
HEWLETT PACKARD ENTERPRISE	3.5	15.91	P/E	18.00	13%	19%	NW
NOMURA HOLDINGS INC	2.9	597	P/B	762	28%	38%	JM
BARRICK GOLD CORP	2.8	25.83	P/B	38.10	48%	52%	RG
KOREA ELECTRIC POWER CORP	2.7	24,000	EV/Sales + EV/IC + P/B	35,550	48%	56%	СО
KANSAI ELECTRIC POWER CO INC	2.3	1,128	P/B	1,863	65%	74%	AG
NOKIA OYJ	2.2	3.46	EV/Sales + P/B	3.62	5%	9%	JL
FRESENIUS SE & CO KGAA	1.3	37.76	SOTP + P/E	51	35%	40%	СО
Weighted Average Upside					28%		_

#### Oldfield Partners – an authentic Value investor

#### Throughout an unprecedented drawdown in Value;

- OP remains true to its contrarian investment philosophy
- Maintained and grown our investment team
- Maintained a relatively consistent client base
- Continues to win new clients

## Performance since vaccine announcement <sup>1</sup>

	Total return
OP Global	+38.5%
MSCI World	+19.5%
MSCI World Value	+30.2%
MSCI World Growth	+9.9%

### Stable platform to capture the Value opportunity

### Risk warning and other important information

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