



Castelnau Group Limited (CGL) – March 2024

Share Price: £0.76

Net Asset Value: £0.78

Premium: -2.6%

Market Cap: 242.2m

Data as of 31 March 2024

Portfolio Position 31 March 2024	(%)
Dignity / Valderrama	70.9
Hornby	11.2
Cambium	3.9
Phoenix SG Ltd (The Strand Collectibles Group)	3.3
Others <3%	10.7
Cash Balance	0.0

Investment Performance

In March, the NAV was up 0.02% while the share price was down 3.8%, compared to the FTSE All Share (incl. Dividends), which was up 4.8%.

Portfolio Valuation

The main contributor to the performance was Hornby, which was up 5.6% (with a NAV impact of 0.7%), driven by Frasers Group Plc's investment into Hornby.

Portfolio Update

Further to the announcement of Frasers Group Plc increasing its position to 8.9% of issued share capital, Mike Ashley has also entered into a consultancy agreement with Hornby to support Olly Raeburn, CEO of Hornby, in logistics and broader matters of strategy. For more, please follow the link [here](#)

Hornby has also announced the acquisition of The Corgi Model Club ("CMC") to drive further growth in its Corgi business with an immediate addition of over 6000 die-hard Corgi collectors and Guy Stainthorpe (the Founder) being appointed as the Brand MD of Corgi. More information can be found [here](#)

Silverwood announced a strategic acquisition of Cosme Science Corporation, more information of the deal can be found [here](#)

Castelnau Group Track Record

Performance	NAV Return %	Share Price Total Return** %	All-Share Index ** %	Relative NAV to ASX %
2024 (to 31 March)	7.5%	0.7%	3.6%	3.9%
2023	-3.3%	9.4%	7.9%	-11.2%
2022	-19.8%	-34.6%	0.3%	-20.2%
2021 *	-6.5%	5.5%	2.5%	-9.0%
Cumulative*	-22.0%	-24.0%	14.9%	-37.0%

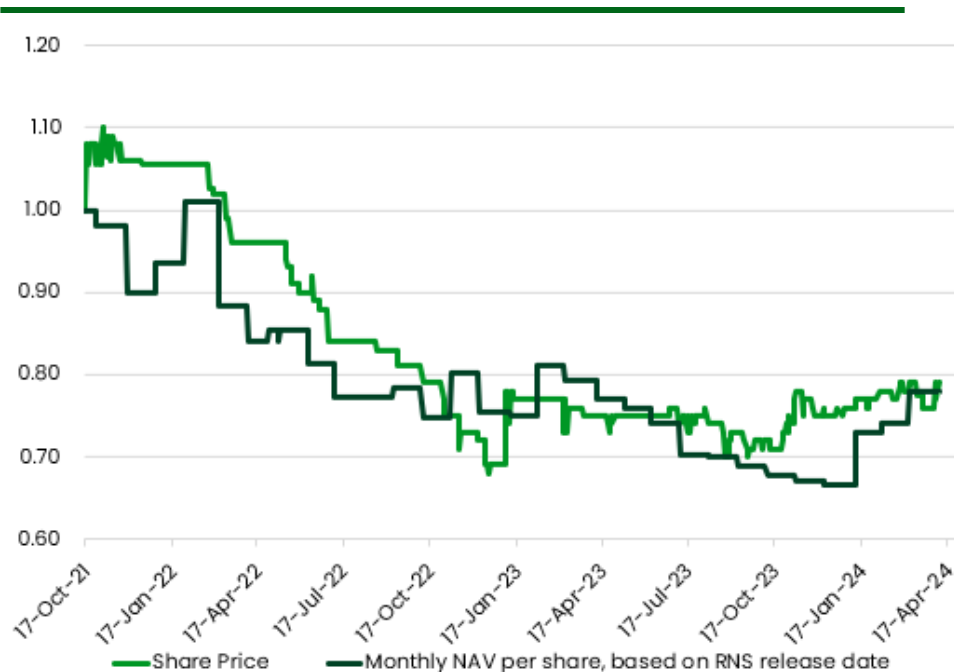
* From 18th October 2021.

** Share price return with dividends reinvested; All Share Index returns with dividends reinvested. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

Source: Bloomberg, Phoenix Asset Management Partners Limited



Castelnau Group Share Price & NAV per Share – 31st March 2024



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Net Asset Value Table – 31st March 2024

Asset	£m
Dignity / Valderamma	222.1
Hornby	35.1
Phoenix SG Ltd (The Strand Collectibles Group)	10.4
Cambium Group	12.2
Rawnet	5.1
Ocula	4.9
Silverwood	6.9
Showpiece	0.0
Total Equities	296.8
CGSL	0.1
Prepaid Fees	0.0
Loans to enabling companies	16.6
Cash	0.0
Short Term Bonds	0.0
GAV	313.5
Accrued Liabilities	-10.2
Borrowing for the Dignity transaction	-54.9
NAV	248.5

Source: Phoenix Asset Management Partners Limited

The Investment Manager does not believe a potential tax charge would arise on the realisation of the fair value gains set out in this report

Investment Objective

The Company's investment objective is to compound Shareholder's capital at a higher rate of return than the FTSE All Share Total Return Index over the long term. The Company will seek to achieve a high rate of compound return over the long term by carefully selecting investments using a thorough and objective research process and paying a price which provides a material margin of safety against permanent loss of capital, but also a favourable range of outcomes. The Company will follow a high conviction investment strategy. The expertise and processes developed by the Investment Manager can be applied to all parts of the capital structure of a business, both private and publicly quoted. These positions could be represented by a minority stake, a control position combined with operational involvement, full ownership of a company, a joint venture, a loan or convertible instrument, a short position or any other instrument which allows the Company to access value.

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Fees

Management: None
Performance: In order for the Investment Manager to earn a performance fee, the total NAV return must have outperformed the FTSE All Share Total Return Index over a 3-year period. The performance fee will be equal to one-third of outperformance and will be paid in Castelnaud Group shares.

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