

Aurora Sandringham Dividend Income Trust (ASX Code:AOD) Performance Report - 31 March 2011



Summary

- The Trust announced a cash distribution of \$0.015 for the three months ending 31 March 2011, which represents an annualised yield of 6.06%
- The Trust returned 1.93% for March compared to the Benchmark which returned 0.57%

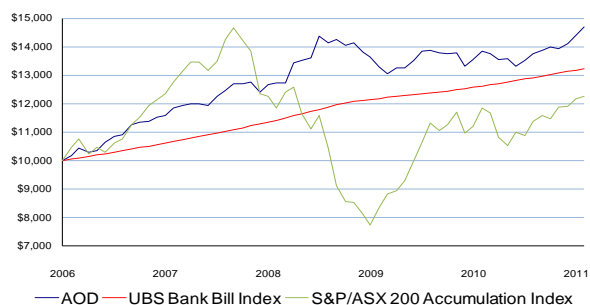
Performance¹

	1 month	3 months	12 months	3 yrs (p.a)	5 yrs (p.a)	Since Inception (p.a)
Aurora Sandringham Dividend Income Trust ²	1.93%	5.34%	6.08%	4.93%	7.63%	7.85%
Benchmark (50% of UBS Aus B'Bill/S&P/ASX200 Acc Index) ³	0.57%	2.26%	4.45%	3.74%	5.03%	5.47%
S&P/ASX200 Accumulation Index	0.67%	3.23%	3.44%	1.09%	3.18%	4.07%
UBS Australia Bank Bill Index	0.42%	1.22%	4.87%	5.03%	5.65%	5.65%

Investment Objective

To provide investors with returns in excess of the S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index including the value of franking credits over rolling 5 year periods with around half the volatility.

Investment Performance



Investment Strategy

The Trust seeks to achieve the investment objective by investing in an actively managed portfolio of fully franked dividend paying companies listed on the Australian Securities Exchange while hedging the market exposure to around 50% of net assets.

Historical Volatility

AOD (since incep)	6.1%
XJOAI Index (since incep)	15.7%

Trust Features

Unit pricing	Monthly.
Distribution policy	At least 1.5% of Net Asset Value plus any franking credits ⁴ per Unit per quarter.
Applications	Investors may acquire Units on the ASX or via the current Product Disclosure Statement.
Redemptions	On market by selling on the ASX or off-market at the end of each month.

Trust Valuations

Fund Size	\$29.0 million
Net Assets Value per Unit	\$1.0127
Net Assets Value per Unit-incl. franking	\$1.0274
NAV Accumulation per Unit (since inception)	\$1.6610

Trust Distributions (per Unit)⁵

Period	Cash	Franking (%) ⁶	Yield at NAV (p.a)
30-Jun-06	\$0.0430	\$0.0673 (367%)	14.70%
31-Dec-06	\$0.0188	\$0.0722 (899%)	15.90%
30-Jun-07	\$0.0440	\$0.0295 (154%)	12.60%
31-Dec-07	\$0.0375	\$0.0296 (184%)	11.60%
30-Jun-08	\$0.0417	\$0.0156 (87%)	9.90%
31-Dec-08	\$0.0400	\$0.0213 (124%)	10.40%
30-Jun-09	\$0.0100	\$0.0210 (491%)	5.30%
31-Dec-09	\$0.0300	\$0.0240 (188%)	10.20%
31-Mar-10	\$0.0160	\$0.0100 (146%)	9.90%
30-Jun-10	\$0.0160	\$0.0011 (16%)	6.60%
30-Sep-10	\$0.0150	\$0.0000	6.00%
31-Dec-10	\$0.0150	\$0.0000	6.06%
31-Mar-11	\$0.0150	\$0.0000	6.06%
Total	\$0.3420	\$0.2917	

Portfolio Commentary

The local market recovered almost 7% after being down sharply early in the month as a massive earthquake in Japan and continued unrest in the Middle East tested confidence. The S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index finished up 0.67% with Materials leading the recovery as the Australian Dollar and commodities rose following G7 currency intervention.

The Japanese nuclear disaster also pushed up the price of natural gas as investors speculated about its potential use as a substitute for nuclear energy. Combined with the Middle-east unrest this made Energy the best performing sector. Woodside was one of the Trust's best performing positions as a gas discovery at its Martin-1 well increased the viability of a second LNG train in the Pluto area in the near future.

Capital Management was a feature of the month with JB Hifi announcing an off-market buyback and Origin Energy announcing a \$2.3b equity raising to strengthen its balance sheet.

The Trust finished up 1.93% for the month versus the benchmark return of 0.57%. The Trust's performance since inception of 7.85% per annum continues to outperform both equity market and cash returns of 4.07% and 5.65% per annum respectively.

Significant Portfolio Holdings

Company	Weight
BHP BILLITON STK	22.82%
ANZ BANKING GRP STK	12.69%
NATL AUST BANK	12.08%
COMMONWEALTH BK STK	11.84%
WESTPAC BANKING STK	10.68%
Total invested as a % of NAV	133.08%

Dividend Calendar

Company	Forecast Div	Ex Date
AUST & NZ BANKING GROUP	\$0.52	12/05/2011
WESTPAC BANKING CORP	\$0.65	17/05/2011
ORICA LTD	\$0.40	26/05/2011
NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK	\$0.74	3/06/2011
CSR LTD	\$0.20	9/06/2011
METCASH LTD	\$0.16	20/06/2011
TABCORP HOLDINGS LTD	\$0.24	9/08/2011
RIO TINTO LTD	\$0.51	10/08/2011
COCA-COLA AMATIL LTD	\$0.23	12/08/2011
ALUMINA LTD	\$0.04	15/08/2011

Source: Bloomberg. Note: The Trust may or may not make investments in the above companies

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Notes: Since inception (17 Nov 05) the Trust has delivered an annualised return of 7.37%, assumes distributions and franking credits are reinvested. 1. This represents a cumulative return and assumes the reinvestment of distributions and franking credits. 2. Returns based on Estimated Unit Price. 3. The Benchmark return is calculated daily as 50% of the return of the UBS Australia Bank Bill Index plus 50% of the return of the S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index. 4. The Trust intends to always distribute at least 1.5% of NAV, excluding any franking credits, per quarter regardless of Trust performance. This means that if the Trust has insufficient net income in a given quarter, investors may receive a partial (or full) return of capital. 5. Please note each historical distribution has been divided by eight to reflect the Unit split carried out in July 2008. 6. The percentage franked is based on a relative comparison to a Company that may pay a 100% franked dividend. A Unit Trust can accumulate franking credits and pass these through to Unitholders. Trusts can have distributions which include franking at more than 100%.

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