

## Aurora Global Income Trust (ASX Code: AIB) Performance Report - February 2012

### Summary

- The Trust returned 0.4% for February compared to the UBS Australia Bank Bill Index which returned 0.3%
- Trust has returned 5.4% p.a since inception versus the UBS Australia Bank Bill Index which has returned 4.8% over the same period

### Performance<sup>1</sup>

	1 month	3 months	12 months	3 Years (p.a)	Since Inception (p.a)
Investment Strategy - Composite	0.4%	1.9%	-1.6%	3.8%	5.4%
UBS Australia Bank Bill Index (Benchmark)	0.3%	1.1%	4.9%	4.4%	4.8%

The above composite/hybrid performance summary reflects a combination of the performance of the investment strategy as it applied (net of fees) within the former Aurora Sandringham Global Income Trust (ARSN 131 291 499 - now terminated) since its inception in July 2008 to 30 November 2010, and then the performance of this Trust (which implemented the same strategy) since 30 November 2010 to date. This is not the actual performance of Aurora Global Income Trust (AIB). The actual return of AIB since inception is 3.0% p.a. The table above and the charts below refer to the performance of the composite/hybrid strategy and not of the actual performance of AIB.

### Investment Objective\*

To provide investors with steady income returns after fees and expenses in excess of the UBS Australia Bank Bill Index over rolling three year periods while protecting their capital. Please note that while we aim to achieve this objective, the returns are not guaranteed.

### Investment Strategy

To take advantage of global companies that Aurora expects will increase in value relative to the market around the announcement of their quarterly, half-yearly and yearly earnings results while hedging their market and currency exposure.

### Trust Valuations

Fund Size <sup>2</sup>	\$106.4 Million
NAV per Unit	\$1.0774
NAV per Unit plus distributions paid	\$1.5323

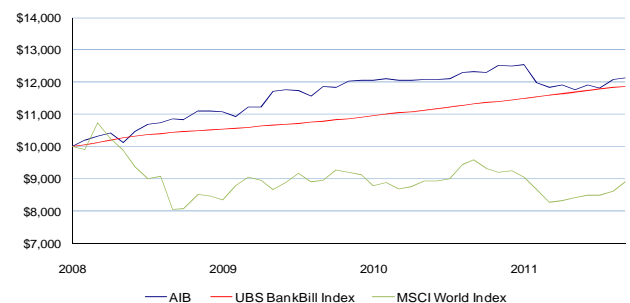
### Trust Features

Trust Listing	24 December 2007
Minimum Initial Investment	\$2,000
Style	Market Neutral
Currency	Hedged to Australian Dollars
Unit Pricing	Monthly
Applications	Investors may acquire Units on market or via the current PDS.
Redemptions	On market by selling on the ASX or off-market at the end of each month
Benchmark	UBS Australia Bank Bill Index
Distributions	At least 2.5% of Net Asset Value <sup>3</sup> per Unit, per quarter

### Performance Statistics - Composite

Performance since Inception (July 08)	5.4%
Volatility	5.4%
Sharpe Ratio	0.17
% positive months	61.4%
Best month	4.4%
Worst month	-4.5%
Average positive monthly return	1.4%
Average negative monthly return	-0.9%

### Investment Performance -Composite



### Portfolio Commentary

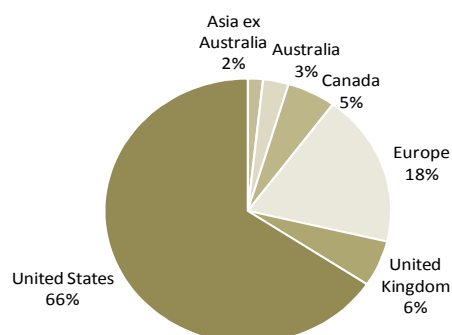
Equity markets posted another strong month of gains with the MSCI Index ex Australia up 3.22%. Underwriting the gains were much better than expected US economic numbers with key unemployment, manufacturing and housing data all topping consensus estimates. Progress also continued in Europe with the Euro-zone finance ministers approving a second €130bn bailout package for Greece.

Energy was the strategy's best performing sector helped by strong oil price rises as Iran's expanding nuclear program increased tensions in the region. Materials were also strong while Healthcare and Telecommunications underperformed the rising market.

The strategy's best performing position was the Canadian oil company Talisman Energy. It outperformed by 17% with much of the gains driven by market Oil price movements rather than the earnings result which was slightly below expectations.

The weakest position was money transfer service provider Western Union which underperformed the market by 11%. Its earnings were in line but guidance -which some analysts labeled as conservative - disappointed with management citing risks to its core consumer to consumer business due to the weak macro backdrop and uncertainty arising from the integration of its Travelex acquisition.

## Historical Weight by Region - Composite



## Trust Distributions (per Unit)<sup>4</sup>

Period (per Unit)	Amount (\$)	Yield (p.a)
30-Jun-08	\$0.0568	8.18%
31-Dec-08	\$0.0814	12.31%
30-Jun-09	\$0.0471	7.69%
30-Sep-09	\$0.0229	7.78%
31-Dec-09	\$0.0250	8.58%
31-Mar-10	\$0.0250	8.22%
30-Jun-10	\$0.0250	8.26%
30-Sep-10	\$0.0250	8.75%
31-Dec-10	\$0.0300	9.95%
31-Mar-11	\$0.0300	10.06%
30-Jun-11	\$0.0300	10.15%
30-Sep-11	\$0.0295	10.05%
31-Dec-11	\$0.0272	10.02%
Total since inception	\$0.4549	

## Monthly Best/Worst Positions

Stock	Country	% Return
TALISMAN ENERGY	CANADA	16.7%
BMC SOFTWARE INC	UNITED STATES	14.7%
DEVON ENERGY CO	UNITED STATES	13.5%
TERADATA CORP	UNITED STATES	13.1%
SOLVAY SA-A	BELGIUM	9.0%
TECK RESOURCES-B	CANADA	-8.2%
ANGLO AMER PLC	BRITAIN	-8.8%
MARVELL TECH GRP	BERMUDA	-10.3%
JM SMUCKER CO	UNITED STATES	-10.6%
WESTERN UNION	UNITED STATES	-11.3%

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The combined group has in excess of \$430 million in funds under management and administration, and provides asset management and responsible entity/trustee services for over 2,500 Australian and New Zealand investors.

Aurora is also the issuer of the:

- Aurora Fortitude Absolute Return Fund (APIR Code: AFM0005AU)
- Aurora Absolute Return Fund (ASX Code: ABW)
- Aurora Sandringham Dividend Income Trust (ASX Code: AOD)
- Aurora Property Buy-Write Income Trust (ASX Code: AUP)
- van Eyk Blueprint Alternatives Plus (ASX Code: VBP)

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1. The estimated returns are calculated by compounding each monthly return with distributions reinvested. All returns are net of fees.
  2. Incorporates all unit classes within AIB, and also assets that are external to AIB that are managed by Aurora and utilise the investment strategy or direct variants thereof.
  3. The Trust intends to always distribute at least 2.5% of NAV per Unit 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.
  4. Each historical distribution has been divided by seven to reflect the Unit split carried out in November 2009.
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