# VanEck Global Equity Funds (8 of) Financial report For the year/period ended 30 June 2024

This financial report covers the following VanEck Global Equity Funds:

VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF ARSN 647 356 992 VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF ARSN 647 047 658 VanEck MSCI International Value ETF ARSN 647 387 737 VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF ARSN 654 329 110 VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF ARSN 671 626 243 VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF ARSN 671 630 041 VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF ARSN 671 625 344 VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF ARSN 673 226 081

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These financial statements cover the VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF, VanEck MSCI International Value ETF, VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF, VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF and VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF as individual entities.

The Responsible Entity of the Funds is VanEck Investments Limited (ACN 146 596 116) (AFSL 416755). The Responsible Entity's registered office is:

VanEck Investments Limited Level 47, Suite 2 25 Martin Place, Sydney, NSW, Australia, 2000

### **Directors' report**

The Directors of VanEck Investments Limited (ACN 146 596 116), the Responsible Entity of VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF, VanEck MSCI International Value ETF, VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF, VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF and VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF (collectively the "Funds" and individually the "Fund"), present their report together with the financial statements of the Funds for the year/period ended 30 June 2024.

The VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF and VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF were registered with ASIC on 2 October 2023 and commenced operations on 7 November 2023. The VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF was registered with ASIC on 6 December 2023 and commenced operations on 31 January 2024.

This report is the first audited financial report period for the above Funds and as such there are no comparative figures for a prior period. Refer to the Notes to the financial statements 2(v) for further information.

#### **Funds information**

The Funds are Australian registered managed investment schemes.

The Responsible Entity's registered office is located at Level 47, Suite 2, 25 Martin Place, Sydney, NSW, Australia, 2000.

#### Principal activities

The Funds are traded on the Australian Securities Exchange ("ASX") as exchange traded funds.

VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF generally invests in a diversified portfolio of 30 of the largest and most liquid companies involved in clean energy production and associated technology and equipment globally in accordance with the provisions of the Fund's Constitution and Product Disclosure Statement ("PDS").

VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF generally invests in a diversified portfolio of 150 international developed market small-cap quality growth securities in accordance with the provisions of the Fund's Constitution and PDS.

VanEck MSCI International Value ETF generally invests in a diversified portfolio of 250 international developed market large- and mid-cap companies, with high value scores as calculated by MSCI at each rebalance in accordance with the provisions of the Fund's Constitution and PDS.

VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF generally invests in a diversified portfolio of the 50 largest and most liquid global listed private equity companies in accordance with the provisions of the Fund's Constitution and PDS.

VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF generally invests in a diversified portfolio of attractively priced United States companies with sustainable competitive advantages (ex Australia) with returns hedged into AUD in accordance with the provisions of the Fund's Constitution and PDS.

VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF generally invests in a diversified portfolio of 150 international developed market small-cap quality growth securities (ex Australia) with returns hedged into AUD in accordance with the provisions of the Fund's Constitution and PDS.

VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF generally invests in a diversified portfolio of 250 international developed market large- and mid-cap companies, with high value scores as calculated by MSCI at each rebalance (ex Australia) with returns hedged into AUD in accordance with the provisions of the Fund's Constitution and PDS.

VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF generally invests in a diversified portfolio of the 25 largest global listed private credit companies with returns hedged into AUD in accordance with the provisions of the Fund's Constitution and PDS.

The Funds did not have any employees during the year/period.

There were no significant changes in the nature of the Funds' activities during the year/period.

#### Directors

The following persons held office as Directors of the Responsible Entity during the year/period ended 30 June 2024 and up to the date of this report:

Jan van Eck Arian Neiron Michael Brown Jonathan Simon Lee Rappaport

#### Review and results of operations

The Funds continued to invest in accordance with the Funds' PDS and the provisions of the Funds' Constitutions.

VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF generally invests in the securities that are constituents of the S&P Global Clean Energy Select Index (AUD) and aims to track the performance of the Index (with net dividends reinvested) in Australian dollars, before taking into account fees, expenses and tax.

VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF generally invests in the securities that are constituents of the MSCI World ex Australia Small Cap Quality 150 Index and aims to track the performance of the Index (with net dividends reinvested) in Australian dollars, before taking into account fees, expenses and tax.

VanEck MSCI International Value ETF generally invests in the securities that are constituents of the MSCI World ex Australia Enhanced Value Top 250 Select Index and aims to track the performance of the Index (with net dividends reinvested) in Australian dollars, before taking into account fees, expenses and tax.

VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF generally invests in the securities that are constituents of the LPX50 Index and aims to track the performance of the Index (with net dividends reinvested) in Australian dollars, before taking into account fees, expenses and tax.

VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF generally invests in the securities that are constituents of the Morningstar® Wide Moat Focus NR AUD Hedged Index<sup>™</sup> and aims to track the performance of the Index (with net dividends reinvested) in Australian dollars, before taking into account fees, expenses and tax.

VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF generally invests in the securities that are constituents of the MSCI World ex Australia Small Cap Quality 150 100% Hedged to AUD Index and aims to track the performance of the Index (with net dividends reinvested) in Australian dollars, before taking into account fees, expenses and tax. During the period ended 30 June 2024, the Fund primarily achieved its investment objective by holding units in the VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF (ASX code: QSML) in accordance with the Fund's PDS and Constitution. VanEck Investments is the Responsible Entity of QSML.

VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF generally invests in the securities that are constituents of the MSCI World ex Australia Enhanced Value Top 250 Select 100% Hedged to AUD Index and aims to track the performance of the Index (with net dividends reinvested) in Australian dollars, before taking into account fees, expenses and tax. During the period ended 30 June 2024, the Fund primarily achieved its investment objective by holding units in the VanEck MSCI International Value ETF (ASX code: VLUE) in accordance with the Fund's PDS and Constitution. VanEck Investments is the Responsible Entity of VLUE.

VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF generally invests in the securities that are constituents of the LPX Listed Private Credit AUD Hedged Index and aims to track the performance of the Index (with net dividends reinvested) in Australian dollars, before taking into account fees, expenses and tax.

### Review and results of operations (continued)

#### Results

The performance of the Funds, as represented by the results of their operations, were as follows:

	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF Year ended		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF	
			Year en	nded
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders (\$'000)	(31,908)	6,097	57,869	17,857
Distribution to unitholders (\$'000) Distribution (cents per unit - CPU)	<u> </u>	1,657 12.00	<u>21,466</u> 92.00	1,008 14.00

	VanEck MSCI International Value ETF		VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF	
	Year er	nded	Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders (\$'000)	21,410	30,539	5,063	2,513
Distribution to unitholders (\$'000) Distribution (cents per unit - CPU)	<u> </u>	6,158 76.00	<u>633</u> 45.00	460 54.00

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF
	Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 31 January 2024 to 30 June 2024
Profit/(loss) attributable to unitholders (\$'000)	1,132	4,373	396	1,803
Distribution to unitholders (\$'000)	100	3,431	212	1,065
Distribution (cents per unit - CPU)	73.00	94.00	106.00	80.00

Distribution (cents per unit - CPU) in the above tables includes distributions paid during the financial year ended and the distributions that were payable as at 30 June 2024. Refer to the Notes to the financial statements 2(n) and 11 for further information.

#### Significant changes in the state of affairs

In the opinion of the Directors, there were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the Funds that occurred during the financial year/period.

#### Matters subsequent to the end of the financial year/period

The Funds declared a distribution per unit on 30 June 2024 and which were paid to entitled unitholders on 23 July 2024 except for unitholders in VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF and VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF who were paid on 25 July 2024.

These subsequently paid distributions are set out in *Review and results of operations* section under the Director's report and under the *Distributions to unitholders* section in the Notes to the financial statements.

Except as disclosed above, no other matter or circumstance has arisen since 30 June 2024 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect:

- (i) the operations of the Funds in future financial years;
- (ii) the results of those operations in future financial years; or
- (iii) the state of affairs of the Funds in future financial years.

#### Likely developments and expected results of operations

The Funds will continue to be managed in accordance with the investment objectives and guidelines as set out in the Funds' PDS and in accordance with the provisions of the Funds' Constitutions.

The results of the Funds' operations will be affected by a number of factors, including the performance of the investment markets in which the Funds invest. Investment performance is not guaranteed and future returns may differ from past returns. As investment conditions change over time, past returns should not be used to predict future returns.

The future returns are dependent upon the performance of the underlying investments. The Funds' investment objective and strategy remains unchanged which is to track the performance of the underlying investments.

#### Indemnity and insurance of Officers

No insurance premiums are paid for out of the assets of the Funds in regards to insurance cover provided to either the Directors and Officers (as defined in *Corporations Act 2001 (Cth)*) of the Responsible Entity or the auditors of the Funds. So long as the Officers of the Responsible Entity act in accordance with the Funds' Constitutions and the Law, the Officers remain indemnified out of the assets of the Funds against losses incurred while acting on behalf of the Funds.

During the year/period ended 30 June 2024, VanEck Australia Pty Ltd (ACN 137 160 528), the parent company of the Responsible Entity paid insurance premiums to insure the Directors and Officers of the Responsible Entity. The terms of the contract prohibit the disclosure of the premiums paid.

#### Indemnity of auditors

The auditors of the Funds are in no way indemnified out of the assets of the Funds.

#### Proceedings on behalf of the Funds

No person has applied for leave of court to bring proceedings on behalf of the Funds or intervene in any proceedings to which the Funds are a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the Funds for all or any part of those proceedings.

#### Proceedings on behalf of the Funds (continued)

The Funds were not a party to any such proceedings during the year/period.

#### Fees paid to and units held in the Funds by the Responsible Entity or its associates

Fees paid to the Responsible Entity and its associates out of Funds' property during the year/period are disclosed in Note 17 to the financial statements.

No fees were paid out of the Funds' property to the Directors of the Responsible Entity during the year/period.

The number of units in the Funds held by the Responsible Entity or its associates as at the end of the financial year/period are disclosed in Note 17 to the financial statements.

#### Units in the Funds

The movement in units on issue in the Funds during the year/period is disclosed in Note 10 to the financial statements.

The value of the Funds' assets and liabilities is disclosed on the Statements of financial position and derived using the basis set out in Note 2 to the financial statements.

#### **Environmental regulation**

The operations of the Funds are not subject to any particular or significant environmental regulations under a Commonwealth, State or Territory law.

#### **Disclosing entities**

The Funds are disclosing entities under the Corporations Act, and accordingly rely on the relief available in ASIC issued class order ASIC Corporations (Disclosing Entities) Instrument 2015/839 in the preparation of this report. This class order permits the Funds, all of which have the same responsible entity to include the financial statements for each Fund in adjacent columns in a single financial report.

#### Rounding of amounts to the nearest thousand dollars

The Funds are entities of the kind referred to in ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191 issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission ("ASIC") relating to the "rounding off" of amounts in the Directors' report. Amounts in the Directors' report have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars in accordance with that ASIC Corporations Instrument, unless otherwise indicated.

### Auditor's independence declaration

A copy of the Auditor's independence declaration as required under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is set out on page 8.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of the Directors.

Michael Brown Director

Sydney 26 September 2024



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# Auditor's Independence Declaration to the Directors of VanEck Investments Limited, as Responsible Entity for VanEck Global Equity Funds (8 of)

For the following VanEck Global Equity Funds (8 of) (collectively the "Funds"):

- VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF (CLNE)
- VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF (QSML)
- VanEck MSCI International Value ETF (VLUE)
- VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF (GPEQ)
- VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF (MHOT)
- VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF (HVLU)
- VanEck MSCI International Value (Hedged) ETF (QHSM)
- Vaneck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF (LEND)

As lead auditor for the audit of the financial report of the Funds for the financial year/period ended 30 June 2024, I declare to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- a) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the audit;
- b) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit; and
- c) no non-audit services provided that contravene any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

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Rita Da Silva Partner Sydney 26 September 2024

# Statements of comprehensive income

		VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF Year ended		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ET Year ended	
		30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	Notes	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Investment income					
Interest income from financial assets at amortised cost		1	1	2	4
Dividend and distribution income		1,544	2,247	5,575	1,433
Net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at					
fair value through profit or loss	6	(32,607)	5,077	56,487	17,194
Net foreign exchange gains/(losses)		53	(12)	(919)	(21)
Other operating income				10	
Total investment income/(loss)		(31,009)	7,313	61,155	18,610
Expenses					
Management fees	17	619	842	2,251	449
Transaction costs		24	51	340	83
Withholding tax		207	294	664	172
Other expenses		49	29	31	49
Total operating expenses		899	1,216	3,286	753
Profit/(loss) for the year		(31,908)	6,097	57,869	17,857
Other comprehensive income for the year		<b>-</b>			
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year		(31,908)	6,097	57,869	17,857

The above Statements of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of comprehensive income (continued)

		VanEck MSCI International Value ETF Year ended		VanEck Global Listed Priva Equity ETF Year ended	
		30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	Notes	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Investment income					
Interest income from financial assets at amortised cost		4	4	-	-
Dividend and distribution income		8,810	7,833	987	582
Net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	6	14,654	24,222	4,352	2,080
Net foreign exchange gains/(losses)		24	274	(24)	1
Total investment income/(loss)		23,492	32,333	5,315	2,663
Expenses					
Management fees	17	915	760	127	77
Transaction costs		58	63	16	2
Withholding tax		1,026	911	100	67
Other expenses		83	60	9	4
Total operating expenses		2,082	1,794	252	150
Profit/(loss) for the year		21,410	30,539	5,063	2,513
Other comprehensive income for the year		<u> </u>		<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year		21,410	30,539	5,063	2,513

The above Statements of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of comprehensive income (continued)

	Notes	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 31 January 2024 to 30 June 2024 \$'000
Investment income					
Dividend and distribution income		178	3,468	212	1,385
Net gains on financial instruments at fair					
value through profit or loss	6	1,031	517	177	598
Net foreign exchange gains/(losses)		2	406	10	98
Total investment income/(loss)		1,211	4,391	399	2,081
Expenses					
Management fees	17	45	11	1	61
Transaction costs		4	3	-	4
Withholding tax		24	-	-	208
Other expenses		6	4	2	5
Total operating expenses		79	18	3	278
Profit/(loss) for the period		1,132	4,373	396	1,803
Other comprehensive income for the period					
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period		1,132	4,373	396	1,803

The above Statements of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of financial position

		VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ET	
		As a	at	Asa	at
		30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	Notes	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	12	150	291	418	180
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold		1,165	1,314	20,834	861
Receivables	15	455	775	553	179
Financial assets at fair value through profit or					
loss	5, 7	74,225	119,085	636,159	171,321
Total assets		75,995	121,465	657,964	172,541
Liabilities					
Bank overdraft	12	493	744	512	178
Payables	16	100	146	362	98
Distributions payable	11	1,334	1,657	21,466	1,008
Total liabilities		1,927	2,547	22,340	1,284
Net assets attributable to unitholders - Equity		74,068	118,918	635,624	171,257

The above Statements of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of financial position (continued)

		VanEck MSCI International Value ETF		VanEck Global Listed Privat Equity ETF	
		As	at	As	at
		30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	Notes	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	12	854	465	109	50
Due from brokers - receivable for securities					
sold		9,199	5,856	532	434
Receivables	15	730	499	165	94
Financial assets at fair value through profit or					
loss	5, 7	243,224	189,165	29,606	13,611
Total assets		254,007	195,985	30,412	14,189
Liabilities					
Bank overdraft	12	1,064	664	293	117
Due to brokers - payable for securities				4	
purchased		-	-	1	-
Payables	16	106	87	41	14
Distributions payable	11	9,912	6,158	633	460
Total liabilities		11,082	6,909	968	591
Net assets attributable to unitholders -					
Equity		242,925	189,076	29,444	13,598

The above Statements of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of financial position (continued)

	Notes	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF As at 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF As at 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF As at 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF As at 30 June 2024 \$'000
Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	12	7	41	4	383
Due from brokers - receivable for securities		160			467
sold	45		-	-	167
Receivables	15	32	6,385	212	442
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	5, 7	17,425	103,944	5,348	42,386
Total assets		17,624	110,370	5,564	43,378
Liabilities					
Bank overdraft	12	25	24	-	416
Due to brokers - payable for securities purchased		-	3,570	89	
Payables	16	11	2		103
Distributions payable	10	100	3,431	212	336
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit		100	3,431	212	550
or loss	5, 8		40		
Total liabilities		136	7,067	301	855
Net assets attributable to unitholders -					
Equity		17,488	103,303	5,263	42,523

The above Statements of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of changes in equity

		VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF Year ended		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF Year ended	
		30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	Notes	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Total equity at the beginning of the year		118,918	119,706	171,257	29,813
Issue of redeemable participating units		5,687	1,913	538,784	126,806
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions Redemption of redeemable participating	13(b)	171	62	21	25
units		(17,466)	(7,203)	(110,841)	(2,236)
Comprehensive income/(loss) for the year		(31,908)	6,097	57,869	17,857
Distributions	11	(1,334)	(1,657)	(21,466)	(1,008)
Total equity at the end of the year		74,068	118,918	635,624	171,257

Movement in units issued are disclosed in Note 10 to the financial statements.

The above Statements of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of changes in equity (continued)

		VanEck MSCI International Value ETF		VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF	
		Year er	nded	Year er	nded
		30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	Notes	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Total equity at the beginning of the year		189,076	169,870	13,598	10,707
Issue of redeemable participating units		42,143	34,654	11,339	813
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	13(b)	208	50	77	25
Redemption of redeemable participating units		-	(39,879)	-	-
Comprehensive income/(loss) for the year		21,410	30,539	5,063	2,513
Distributions	11	(9,912)	(6,158)	(633)	(460)
Total equity at the end of the year		242,925	189,076	29,444	13,598

Movement in units issued are disclosed in Note 10 to the financial statements.

The above Statements of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of changes in equity (continued)

		VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF
		Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 31 January 2024 to 30 June 2024
	Notes	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Total equity at the beginning of the period		-	-	-	-
Issue of redeemable participating units		22,858	106,600	5,079	42,726
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions Redemption of redeemable participating	13(b)	-	-	-	47
units		(6,402)	(4,239)	-	(988)
Comprehensive income/(loss) for the period		1,132	4,373	396	1,803
Distributions	11	(100)	(3,431)	(212)	(1,065)
Total equity at the end of the period		17,488	103,303	5,263	42,523

Movement in units issued are disclosed in Note 10 to the financial statements.

The above Statements of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of cash flows

		VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF Year ended		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF Year ended	
	NI (	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	Notes	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Cash flows from operating activities Proceeds from sale of financial instruments					
at fair value through profit or loss		59,649	80,747	291,800	56,566
Purchase of financial instruments at fair				·	-
value through profit or loss		(47,188)	(75,621)	(720,124)	(181,381)
Net foreign exchange gains/(losses)		32	(14)	(925)	(22)
Dividends and distributions received (net of withholding tax)		1,575	1,806	4,643	1,154
Interest received		.,0.0	1,000	2	4
Other income received/(expenses paid)		-	20	-	(10)
Management fees paid		(639)	(842)	(2,025)	(386)
Payment of other expenses		(76)	(79)	(429)	(129)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating		<i>i</i> • • • • •		((	(10100)
activities	13(a)	13,354	6,018	(427,058)	(124,204)
Cash flows from financing activities					
Proceeds from applications by unitholders		5,687	1,913	538,784	126,806
Payments for redemptions to unitholders		(17,466)	(7,203)	(110,841)	(2,236)
Distributions paid		(1,486)	(658)	<u>(987</u> )	(343)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing		(40.005)	(5.040)	400.050	404.007
activities		(13,265)	(5,948)	426,956	124,227
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and		00	70	(400)	00
cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at the		89	70	(102)	23
beginning of the year		(453)	(525)	2	(22)
Effects of foreign exchange rate changes					
on cash and cash equivalents		21	2	6	1
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of					
the year	12	(343)	(453)	(94)	2
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The above Statements of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of cash flows (continued)

		VanEck MSCI International Value ETF Year ended		VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF Year ended	
		30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	Notes	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Cash flows from operating activities					
Proceeds from sale of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss		45,220	87,411	2,244	1,061
Purchase of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss		(87,968)	(84,768)	(13,898)	(2,130)
Net foreign exchange gains/(losses)		(7)	206	(26)	(2)
Dividends and distributions received (net of		( )			
withholding tax)		7,576	6,820	738	501
Interest received		5	3	-	-
Other income received/(expenses paid)		-	(2)	-	-
Management fees paid		(893)	(756)	(119)	(76)
Payment of other expenses		(168)	(117)	(14)	<u>(4</u> )
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	13(a)	(36,235)	8,797	(11,075)	(650)
Cash flows from financing activities					
Proceeds from applications by unitholders		42,143	34,654	11,339	813
Payments for redemptions to unitholders		-	(39,879)	-	-
Distributions paid		(5,950)	(3,768)	(383)	(183)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing activities		36,193	(8,993)	10,956	630
		00,100	(0,000)	10,000	000
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(42)	(196)	(119)	(20)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		(199)	(71)	(67)	(50)
Effects of foreign exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		31	68	2	3
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of					
the year	12	(210)	(199)	(184)	(67)

The above Statements of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of cash flows (continued)

	Notes	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 31 January 2024 to 30 June 2024 \$'000
Cash flows from operating activities					
Proceeds from sale of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss Purchase of financial instruments at fair		13,921	6,832	202	1,840
value through profit or loss		(30,475)	(106,649)	(5,284)	(43,795)
Net foreign exchange gains/(losses)		2	406	10	95
Dividends and distributions received (net of withholding tax)		128	_	-	804
Other income received		-	-	-	5
Management fees paid		(38)	(9)	(1)	(41)
Payment of other expenses		(12)	(7)	(2)	
Net cash outflow from operating activities	13(a)	(16,474)	(99,427)	(5,075)	(41,092)
Cash flows from financing activities					
Proceeds from applications by unitholders		22,858	103,683	5,079	42,726
Payments for redemptions to unitholders		(6,402)	(4,239)	-	(988)
Distributions paid					(682)
Net cash inflow from financing activities		16,456	99,444	5,079	41,056
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		(18)	17	4	(36)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period Effects of foreign exchange rate changes		-	-	-	-
on cash and cash equivalents			<u> </u>	<u> </u>	3
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	12	(18)	17	4	(33)

The above Statements of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

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### 1 General information

These financial statements for the year/period ended 30 June 2024 cover the VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF, VanEck MSCI International Value ETF, VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF, VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF and VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF (the "Funds") as individual entities.

VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF was registered on 27 January 2021 and started trading on ASX on 10 March 2021.

VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF was registered on 22 January 2021 and started trading on ASX on 10 March 2021.

VanEck MSCI International Value ETF was registered on 27 January 2021 and started trading on ASX on 10 March 2021.

VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF was registered on 12 October 2021 and started trading on ASX on 25 November 2021.

VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF was registered on 2 October 2023 and started trading on ASX on 9 November 2023.

VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF was registered on 2 October 2023 and started trading on ASX on 9 November 2023.

VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF was registered on 2 October 2023 and started trading on ASX on 9 November 2023.

VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF was registered on 6 December 2023 and started trading on ASX on 2 February 2024.

The Funds will terminate in accordance with the provisions of the Funds' Constitutions.

The Responsible Entity of the Funds is VanEck Investments Limited. The Responsible Entity's registered office is Level 47, Suite 2, 25 Martin Place, Sydney, NSW, Australia, 2000.

These financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is the Funds' functional and presentation currency.

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the Directors on 26 September 2024. The Directors of the Responsible Entity have the power to amend and reissue the financial statements.

The custodian and administrator of the Funds is State Street Australia Limited (the "Custodian"). The ultimate holding company of the Custodian is State Street Corporation (incorporated in the United States of America).

### 2 Summary of material accounting policy information

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied throughout the period presented, unless otherwise stated in the following text.

#### (a) Basis of preparation

These general purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ("AASB") and the *Corporations Act 2001* in Australia.

The Funds are for-profit funds for the purpose of preparing the financial statements.

The financial statements are prepared on the basis of fair value measurement of assets and liabilities except where otherwise stated.

The Statements of financial position are presented on a liquidity basis.

#### (a) Basis of preparation (continued)

Assets and liabilities are presented in decreasing order of liquidity and are not distinguished between current and non-current. All balances are expected to be recovered or settled within twelve months, except for investments in financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and net assets attributable to unitholders.

The Funds manage financial assets at fair value through profit or loss based on the economic circumstances at any given point in time, as well as to meet any liquidity requirements. As such, it is expected that a portion of the portfolio will be realised within twelve months, however, an estimate of that amount cannot be determined as at reporting date.

In the case of net assets attributable to unitholders, the units are redeemable on demand at the unitholders' option. However, holders of these instruments typically retain them for the medium to long term. As such, the amount expected to be settled within twelve months cannot be reliably determined.

#### (i) Compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

The financial statements of the Funds also comply with IFRS as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

#### (b) Financial instruments

#### (i) Recognition/derecognition

The Funds recognise financial assets and financial liabilities on the date it becomes party to the contractual agreement (trade date) and recognise changes in fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities from this date. Financial assets are derecognised when the right to receive cash flows from the investments have expired or the Funds have transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership.

#### (ii) Classification

The Funds classify their financial assets and financial liabilities at initial recognition into the categories of financial assets and financial liabilities discussed below.

#### Financial assets

The Funds classify their financial assets as subsequently measured at amortised cost or measured at fair value through profit or loss on the basis of both:

- The entity's business model for managing the financial assets; and
- The contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

Financial assets measured at amortised cost

A debt instrument is measured at amortised cost if it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows and its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding. The Funds include in this category cash and cash equivalents, due from brokers - receivable for securities sold, and receivables.

Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss ("FVPL")

A financial asset is measured at fair value through profit or loss if:

- Its contractual terms do not give rise to cash flows on specified dates that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding;
- It is not held within a business model whose objective is either to collect contractual cash flows, or to both collect contractual cash flows and sell; or

#### (b) Financial instruments (continued)

#### (ii) Classification (continued)

At initial recognition, it is irrevocably designated as measured at FVPL when doing so eliminates or significantly
reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise from measuring assets or liabilities or
recognising the gains and losses on them on different bases.

The equity securities are mandatorily classified as fair value through profit or loss.

In applying that classification, a financial asset or financial liability is considered to be held for trading if it is:

- acquired or incurred principally for the purpose of selling or repurchasing it in the near term;
- on initial recognition, it is part of a portfolio of identified financial instruments that are managed together and for which, there is evidence of a recent actual pattern of short-term profit-taking; or
- it is a derivative (except for a derivative that is a financial guarantee contract or a designated and effective hedging instrument).

#### Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities measured at amortised cost

This category includes all financial liabilities, other than those measured at fair value through profit or loss. The Funds include in this category bank overdraft, payables and distributions payable.

#### Financial liabilities measured at FVPL

A financial liability is measured at FVPL if it meets the definition of held for trading. Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss include financial liabilities held for trading and financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss. Financial liabilities are classified as held for trading if they are incurred for the purpose of repurchasing in the near term. This category also includes derivative financial instruments entered into by the Funds that are not designated as hedging instruments in hedge relationships as defined. The Funds include in this category derivative contracts in a liability position.

The derivatives are mandatorily classified as fair value through profit or loss.

(iii) Measurement

Financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are recorded in the Statements of financial position initially at fair value. All transaction costs for such instruments are recognised directly in the Statements of comprehensive income. Financial assets and liabilities, other than those classified as FVPL, are initially measured at fair value adjusted by transaction costs and subsequently measured using the effective interest rate method less impairment losses for financial assets, if any.

Subsequent to initial recognition, all financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value. Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the 'financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss' category are presented in the Statements of comprehensive income in the period in which they arise.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value of financial assets and liabilities traded in active markets is subsequently based on their quoted market prices at the end of the reporting period without any deduction for estimated future selling costs. The quoted market price used for financial assets and liabilities held by the Funds is the last traded price.

The fair value of financial assets and liabilities that are not traded in an active market are determined using valuation techniques. The Funds use a variety of methods and make assumptions that are based on market conditions existing at each reporting date. Valuation techniques used include the use of comparable recent arm's length transactions, reference

#### (b) Financial instruments (continued)

#### (iii) Measurement (continued)

to other instruments that are substantially the same, discounted cash flow analysis, option pricing models and other valuation techniques commonly used by market participants making the maximum use of market inputs and relying as little as possible on entity-specific inputs. Further details on how the fair values of financial instruments are determined are disclosed in Note 5.

#### (iv) Impairment of Financial assets

The Funds hold only cash and cash equivalents, receivables and due from brokers with no financing component and which have maturities of less than 12 months at amortised cost and, as such, have chosen to apply the simplified approach for expected credit losses ("ECL") under AASB 9. Therefore, the Funds do not track changes in credit risk, but instead recognise a loss allowance based on lifetime ECLs at each reporting date.

#### (c) Changes in accounting standards

#### (i) New and amended standards adopted by the Funds

There are no standards, interpretations or amendments to existing standards that are effective for the first time for the financial year beginning 1 July 2023 that have a material impact on the Funds.

#### (ii) New standards, amendments and interpretations not yet adopted

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are effective for annual periods beginning after 1 July 2024, and have not been early adopted in preparing these financial statements. None of these are expected to have a material effect on the future financial statements of the Funds.

#### (d) Redeemable participating units

Units are classified as equity. Notwithstanding the obligation of the Funds to redeem the units at the Authorised Participants' option, a person who is a ASX trading participant or has engaged a ASX trading participant to act on its behalf to acquire and dispose of units in a Fund, the Responsible Entity considers the units to meet the requirements for equity classification within AASB 132.16A and B. The Funds' Constitutions state that the distributions are at the discretion of the Responsible Entity. The units can be put back in the Funds at any time for cash based on the redemption price. The fair value of redeemable units is measured at the redemption amount that is payable (based on the redemption unit price) at the end of the reporting period if the Authorised Participants exercised their right to redeem the units in the Funds. Refer to the relevant PDS for the explanation of Authorised Participant.

#### (e) Capital management

The Responsible Entity manages its net assets attributable to unitholders as equity. The amount of the net assets attributable to unitholders can change significantly as the Funds are subject to daily applications and redemptions at the discretion of the Authorised Participants.

The Responsible Entity monitors the level of daily applications and redemptions relative to the liquid assets in the Funds.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Responsible Entity may return capital to unitholders. The Funds are not subject to any externally imposed capital requirements.

#### (f) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of presentation in the Statements of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are classified as liabilities in the Statements of financial position.

Cash and cash equivalents are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, reduced by impairment losses.

Payments and receipts relating to the purchase and sale of investment securities are classified as cash flows from operating activities, as movements in the fair value of these securities represent the Funds' main income generating activity.

#### (g) Investment income

Interest income is recognised in the Statements of comprehensive income using the effective interest method.

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset or financial liability and of allocating the interest income or interest expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts throughout the expected life of the financial instrument, or a shorter period where appropriate, to the net carrying amount of the financial asset or liability. When calculating the effective interest rate, the Funds estimate cash flows considering all contractual terms of the financial instrument (for example, prepayment options) but do not consider future credit losses. The calculation includes all fees paid or received between the parties to the contract that are an integral part of the effective interest rate, including transaction costs and all other premiums or discounts.

Dividend and distribution income is recognised on the ex-dividend date with any related foreign withholding tax recorded as an expense. The Funds currently incur withholding tax imposed by certain countries on investment income. Such income is recorded gross of withholding tax in the Statements of comprehensive income.

Net changes in fair value of financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are recognised as income and are determined as the difference between the fair value at the balance date or consideration received (if sold during the financial year/period) and the fair value as at the prior balance date or initial fair value (if acquired during the financial year/period). This includes both realised and unrealised gains and losses, but does not include interest or dividend income.

#### (h) Expenses

All expenses are recognised in the Statements of comprehensive income on an accrual basis.

#### (i) Income tax

Under current legislation, the Funds are not subject to income tax as the income tax liability is attributed to unitholders under the Attribution Managed Investment Trust ("AMIT") regime.

The benefits of tax credits paid are passed on to unitholders.

The Funds currently incur withholding tax imposed by certain countries on investment income. Such income is recorded gross of withholding tax in the Statements of comprehensive income.

#### (j) Distributions

In accordance with the Funds' PDS, the Funds usually pay a distribution on an annual or monthly basis. The distributions to unitholders are recognised in the Statements of changes in equity.

#### (k) Foreign currency translation

#### (i) Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the Funds' financial statements are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which they operate (the "functional currency"). This is the Australian dollar, which reflects the currency of the economy in which the Funds compete for funds and are regulated. The Australian dollar is also the Funds' presentation currency.

#### (ii) Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translations at year/reporting period end exchange rates, of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in the Statements of comprehensive income.

Non-monetary items that are measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when fair value was determined. Translation differences on assets and liabilities carried at fair value are reported in the Statements of comprehensive income on a net basis within net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss.

#### (I) Due from/to brokers

Amounts due from/to brokers represent receivables for securities sold and payables for securities purchased that have been contracted for but not yet delivered as at year/period end. Trades are recorded on trade date, and for equities, normally settled within three business days.

#### (m) Receivables

Receivables may include amounts for dividends, trust distributions, interest and applications received for units in the Funds. Dividends and trust distributions are accrued when the right to receive payment is established. Interest is accrued at the end of the reporting period from the time of last payment. Amounts are generally received within 30 days of being recorded as receivables.

#### (n) Payables

Payables include liabilities and accrued expenses owed by the Funds which are unpaid as at the end of the reporting period.

The distribution amount payable to unitholders as at the end of the reporting period is recognised separately on the Statements of financial position as unitholders are presently entitled to the distributable income under the Funds' Constitutions.

#### (o) Applications and redemptions

Unitholders can only apply for additional units if they are Authorised Participants. Application amounts can be paid by cash or in the form of a parcel of prescribed securities transferred to the Custodian. The parcel of securities related to in-specie applications generally reflect the characteristics of the Funds' investment objective. Investors may purchase units by trading on ASX.

Unitholders can only redeem units if they are Authorised Participants. The Funds' PDS sets out the circumstances when the Responsible Entity may delay or suspend the processing of applications (creations) or redemptions. Units can be sold by trading on ASX.

Unit prices are determined by reference to the net assets of the Funds divided by the number of units on issue. For unit pricing purposes, net assets are determined using the last reported trade price for securities. These prices may differ from the market.

#### (p) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

The GST incurred on the costs of various services provided to the Funds by third parties such as management, administration and custodian services where applicable have been passed onto the Funds. The Funds qualify for Reduced Input Tax Credits (RITC) at a rate of at least 55%. Hence, fees for these services and any other expenses have been recognised in the Statements of comprehensive income net of the amount of GST recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO). Accounts payable are inclusive of GST. The net amount of GST recoverable from the ATO is included in receivables in the Statements of financial position. Cash flows relating to GST are included in the Statements of cash flows on a gross basis.

#### (q) Use of estimates

The Funds may make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year/period. Estimates are continually evaluated and based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

For the majority of the Funds' financial instruments, quoted market prices are readily available.

For certain other financial instruments, including amounts due from/to brokers, accounts payable and accrued expenses, the carrying amounts approximate fair value due to the immediate or short-term nature of these financial instruments.

#### (r) Derivative financial instruments

The Funds use derivative financial instruments such as forward currency contracts to economically hedge its foreign currency risks. Such derivative financial instruments are initially recognised at fair value on the date on which a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured at fair value with movements through profit or loss. Derivatives are carried as financial assets when the fair value is positive and as financial liabilities when the fair value is negative.

#### (s) Rounding of amounts

The Funds are entities of the kind referred to in ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191 issued by ASIC relating to the "rounding off" of amounts in the financial statements. Amounts in the financial statements have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars in accordance with that ASIC Corporations Instrument, unless otherwise indicated.

#### (t) Basis of accounting period

*Corporations Act 2001* (Corporations Act) requires the first financial year for a company, registered scheme or disclosing entity (an entity) to start on the day of its registration. The first financial year may last for 12 months or a period, no longer than 18 months, determined by the Directors.

#### (u) Comparative revisions

Comparative information has been revised where appropriate to enhance comparability. Where necessary, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform with changes in presentation in the current year.

#### (v) Comparative period

The VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF and VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF were registered with ASIC on 2 October 2023 and commenced operations on 7 November 2023. The VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF was registered with ASIC on 6 December 2023 and commenced operations on 31 January 2024.

This report is the first audited financial report period for the above Funds, hence there is no comparative information.

### 3 Financial risk management

The Funds' activities expose them to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including price risk and foreign exchange risk), credit risk and liquidity risk.

The Funds' overall risk management programme focuses on ensuring compliance with the Funds' PDS and Constitutions and seeks to maximise the returns derived for the level of risk to which the Funds are exposed. Financial risk management is carried out by the Responsible Entity.

The Funds use different methods to measure different types of risk to which they are exposed. These methods are explained below.

The tables on page 34-36 show the impact on net asset value of the Funds of a reasonably possible shift in the Funds' Index, assessed as an increase of 10% and decrease of 10% (2023: +/-10%) in the Funds' Index (with all other variables held constant).

#### (a) Market risk

#### (i) Price risk

The Funds are exposed to price risk on equity securities and unit trusts listed or quoted on recognised securities exchanges. Price risk arises from investments held by the Funds for which prices in the future are uncertain. Where non-monetary financial instruments are denominated in currencies other than the Australian dollar, the price in the future will also fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates which are considered a component of price risk. The investments include restrictions on the exposure to various sectors and subsectors. The Funds are diversified across range of different securities. The Responsible Entity reviews portfolio composition daily to ensure this requirement is adhered to.

The tables at Note 3(b) summarise the sensitivities of the Funds' assets and liabilities to price risk. The analysis is based on the assumption that the markets in which the Funds invest move by +/-10%.

#### (ii) Foreign exchange risk

Foreign exchange risk arises as the value of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in other currencies will fluctuate due to changes in exchange rates.

The Funds' foreign exchange exposure on international equity securities is embedded in the price risk as presented on page 34-36.

The tables below summarise the Funds' assets and liabilities that are denominated in a currency other than the Australian dollar.

#### VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF

As at 30 June 2024	US Dollars A\$'000	Euro A\$'000	New Zealand Dollar A\$'000	Other currencies A\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	35	1	-	103
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	390	284	117	374
Receivables	231	147	-	12
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	24,725	18,356	7,528	23,616
Bank overdraft	(442)	(51)	-	-
Payables	(35)	(10)		(2)
	24,904	18,727	7,645	24,103

# (a) Market risk (continued)

(ii) Foreign exchange risk (continued)

	US Dollars	Euro	New Zealand Dollar	Other currencies
As at 30 June 2023	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000
As at 50 June 2025	A\$ 000	A\$ 000	A\$ 000	A9 000
Cash and cash equivalents	225	-	-	50
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	555	290	125	344
Receivables	519	53	-	150
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	49,254	25,706	11,100	33,025
Bank overdraft	(744)	-	-	-
Payables	(72)			(4)
	49,737	26,049	11,225	33,565

### VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF

	US Dollars	British Pounds	Japanese Yen	Other currencies
As at 30 June 2024	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	277	43	-	-
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	17,398	1,436	652	1,348
Receivables	90	70	113	74
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	527,315	43,534	19,775	45,535
Bank overdraft	(512)	-	-	-
Payables	(27)		(12)	
	544,541	45,083	20,528	46,957

		British		Other
	US Dollars	Pounds	Euro	currencies
As at 30 June 2023	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	152	14	-	6
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	672	68	44	77
Receivables	47	31	23	32
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	133,873	13,496	8,825	15,127
Bank overdraft	(178)	-	-	-
Payables	(10)		(3)	(2)
	134,556	13,609	8,889	15,240

# (a) Market risk (continued)

(ii) Foreign exchange risk (continued)

#### VanEck MSCI International Value ETF

	Japanese			Other
	US Dollars	Yen	Euro	currencies
As at 30 June 2024	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	645	140	1	21
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	4,071	2,115	1,922	1,091
Receivables	(26)	73	438	97
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	107,474	55,771	50,721	29,258
Bank overdraft	(1,064)	-	-	-
Payables	<u>(8)</u>	(8)	(5)	
	111,092	58,091	53,077	30,467

		Japanese		Other
	US Dollars	Yen	Euro	currencies
As at 30 June 2023	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	374	80	10	1
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	2,369	1,584	1,237	666
Receivables	(7)	67	252	102
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	76,808	50,432	40,083	21,842
Bank overdraft	(664)	-	-	-
Payables	(5)	(7)	(5)	
	78,875	52,156	41,577	22,611

### VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF

	British			Other	
	US Dollars	Pounds	Swiss Franc	currencies	
As at 30 June 2024	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000	
Cash and cash equivalents	84	-	-	-	
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	299	113	41	79	
Receivables	61	64	24	6	
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	16,538	6,575	2,145	4,348	
Bank overdraft	(293)	-	-	-	
Due to brokers - payable for securities purchased	(1)	-	-	-	
Payables	(10)				
	16,678	6,752	2,210	4,433	

# (a) Market risk (continued)

(ii) Foreign exchange risk (continued)

As at 30 June 2023	US Dollars A\$'000	British Pounds A\$'000	Swiss Franc A\$'000	Other currencies A\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	50	-	-	-
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	239	95	35	65
Receivables	31	40	14	4
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	7,548	2,919	1,081	2,063
Bank overdraft	(117)	-	-	-
Payables	(5)			
	7,746	3,054	1,130	2,132

# VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF

	US Dollars
As at 30 June 2024	A\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	7
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	160
Receivables	29
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	17,425
Bank overdraft	(25)
Payables	(4)
	17,592
Net increase/(decrease) in exposure from foreign currency forward contract	
- (sell)/buy foreign currency	(17,401)
	191

### VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF

As at 30 June 2024	US Dollars A\$'000	British Pounds A\$'000	Japanese Yen A\$'000	Other currencies A\$'000
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or	323	80	108	96
loss	(29)	(4)	(4)	(3)
	294	76	104	93
Net increase/(decrease) in exposure from foreign currency forward contract				
- (sell)/buy foreign currency	(89,124)	(7,333)	(3,496)	(7,670)
	(88,830)	(7,257)	(3,392)	(7,577)

#### (a) Market risk (continued)

(ii) Foreign exchange risk (continued)

#### VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF

			Other	
	US Dollars	Yen	Euro	currencies
As at 30 June 2024	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	9	37	18	6
	9	37	18	6
Net increase/(decrease) in exposure from foreign currency forward contract				
<ul> <li>(sell)/buy foreign currency</li> </ul>	(2,366)	(1,257)	(1,216)	(668)
	(2,357)	(1,220)	(1,198)	(662)

#### VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF

As at 30 June 2024	US Dollars A\$'000
	Αψ 000
Cash and cash equivalents	377
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	167
Receivables	437
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	42,386
Bank overdraft	(416)
Payables	(66)
	42,885
Net increase/(decrease) in exposure from foreign currency forward contract	
- (sell)/buy foreign currency	(42,701)
	184

#### (iii) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that interest rate movements will have a negative impact on investment value or returns. Interest rate risk is managed in accordance with the underlying investment strategy of the Funds.

The majority of the Funds' financial assets and liabilities are non-interest bearing. As a result, the Funds are not subject to significant amounts of risk due to fluctuations in the prevailing levels of market interest rates. Any excess cash and cash equivalents are invested at short-term market interest rates.

An analysis of financial liabilities by maturities is provided in Note 3(d)(i) on page 37.

#### (b) Summarised sensitivity analysis

The following tables summarise the sensitivity of the Funds' profit and net assets attributable to unitholders to the various market risks. The reasonably possible movements in the risk variables have been determined based on management's best estimate, having regard to a number of factors, including historical correlation of the Funds' investments with the relevant benchmark and market volatility. However, actual movements in the risk variables may be greater or less than anticipated due to a number of factors, including unusually large market shocks resulting from changes in the performance of the economies, markets and securities in which the Funds invests. As a result, historic variations in risk variables are not a definitive indicator of future variations in the risk variables.

VanEck Global (	Clean Energy ETF				Price Impact on prof attributable to	it/Net assets
					-10%	+10%
					\$'000	\$'000
30 June 2024					(7,423)	7,423
30 June 2023					(11,909)	11,909
			Foreign curren	ncy risk		
		Impa	ct on profit/Net assets attr	ributable to unitholders		
	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%
	USD	USD	EUR	EUR	NZD	NZD
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
30 June 2024	(2,490)	2,490	(1,873)	1,873	(765)	765
		4,974	(2,605)	2,605	(1,123)	1,123

······································	Impact on pro attributable to	
	-10%	+10%
	\$'000	\$'000
30 June 2024	(63,616)	63,616
30 June 2023	(17,132)	17,132
Foreign currer	ncy risk	

_	Impact on profit/Net assets attributable to unitholders						
	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%	
	USD	USD	GBP	GBP	JPY	JPY	
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
30 June 2024	(54,454)	54,454	(4,508)	4,508	(2,053)	2,053	

		Impac	Foreign curre t on profit/Net assets at	ncy risk tributable to unitholders		
	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%
	USD	USD	GBP	GBP	EUR	EUR
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
30 June 2023	(13,456)	13,456	(1,361)	1,361	(889)	889

# (b) Summarised sensitivity analysis (continued)

VanEck MSCI Int	ernational Value	ETF					isk t/Net assets unitholders
					-10		+10%
					\$'0	00	\$'000
30 June 2024					(24,3	322)	24,322
30 June 2023					(18,9	917)	18,917
			Foreign currency	risk			
-		Impact	on profit/Net assets attrib	utable to unitholders			
	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%	-10%	b	+10%
	USD	USD	JPY	JPY	EUR	l	EUR
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'00	)	\$'000
30 June 2024	(11,109)	11,109	(5,809)	5,809		(5,308)	5,308
30 June 2023	(7,888)	7,888	(5,216)	5,216		(4,158)	4,158
VanEck Global L	isted Private Equ	ity ETF				Price r	isk
							t/Net assets unitholders
					-10		+10%
					\$'0	00	\$'000
30 June 2024					(2,9	61)	2,961
30 June 2023					(1,3	-	1,361
			Foreign currency	risk			
		Impact	on profit/Net assets attrib				
	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%	-10%	þ	+10%
	USD	USD	GBP	GBP	CHF		CHF
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'00	)	\$'000
30 June 2024	(1,668)	1,668	(675)	675		(221)	221
30 June 2023	(775)	775	(305)	305		(113)	113
VanEck Morning	star Wide Moat (A	UD Hedged) ETF		Price risk		Foreign	exchange risk
				n profit/Net ass			
			-10%	+10	%	-10%	+10%
			\$'000	\$'0(	00	USD \$'000	USD \$'000
30 June 2024			(1,743			(19)	19
VanEak MSCI Int	ornational Small (	Companies Quality		TE		Price r	iok
			y (AOD Heuged) E	. 1 F	Impa	ct on profi	t/Net assets unitholders
					-10		+10%
							/ -
					\$'0	00	\$'000

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## 3 Financial risk management (continued)

#### (b) Summarised sensitivity analysis (continued)

			Foreign currer	ncy risk			
	Impact on profit/Net assets attributable to unitholders						
	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%	
	USD	USD	GBP	GBP	JPY	JPY	
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
30 June 2024	8,883	(8,883)	726	(726)	339	(339)	

VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF	Price	Price risk		
	Impact on pro attributable t			
	-10%	+10%		
	\$'000	\$'000		
30 June 2024	(535)	535		
Foreign currency ris	sk			
Impact on profit/Net assets attributa	ble to unitholders			

	Impact on profit/net assets attributable to unitholders							
	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%	-10%	+10%		
	USD	USD	JPY	JPY	EUR	EUR		
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000		
30 June 2024	236	(236)	122	(122)	120	(120)		

VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF	Price risk Impact on profit/Net assets attr			Foreign exchange risk ributable to unitholders	
	-10%	+10%	-10% USD	+10% USD	
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
30 June 2024	(4,239)	4,239	(18)	18	

In determining the impact of an increase/decrease in net assets attributable to unitholders arising from market risk, the Responsible Entity has considered the current financial year/period and expected future movements of the portfolio based on market information in order to determine a reasonably possible shift in assumptions.

#### (c) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that a counterparty will fail to perform contractual obligations, either in whole or part. Credit risk primarily arises from investments in derivative financial instruments. Other credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents, deposits with banks and other financial institutions and amounts due from brokers. None of these assets are impaired nor past due but not impaired.

The maximum exposure to credit risk at the end of each reporting period is the carrying amount of the financial assets.

#### (c) Credit risk (continued)

The clearing and depositary operations of the Funds' security transactions are mainly concentrated with one counterparty namely State Street Australia Limited. The Standard and Poor's credit rating of the Funds' counterparties as at 30 June 2024 and 30 June 2023 are:

- AA- for State Street Bank & Trust Company (2023: AA-); and
- AA- for Westpac Banking Corporation (2023: AA-)

#### (d) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Funds may not be able to generate sufficient cash resources to settle its obligations in full as they fall due or can only do so on terms that are materially disadvantageous.

The Funds' listed securities are considered readily realisable, as they are listed on major stock exchanges.

The Funds may, from time to time, invest in derivative contracts traded over the counter, which are not traded in an organised market and may be illiquid. As a result, the Funds may not be able to quickly liquidate its investments in these instruments at an amount close to their fair value to meet its liquidity requirements or to respond to specific events such as deterioration in the creditworthiness of any particular issuer or counterparty. No such investments were held at the end of the reporting period.

#### (i) Maturities of non-derivative financial liabilities

The tables below analyse the Funds' non-derivative financial liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period to the earliest possible contractual maturity date at year/period end. The amounts in the tables are contractual undiscounted cash flows.

#### VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF

As at 30 June 2024	Less than 1 month \$'000	1-6 months \$'000	6-12 months \$'000	Over 12 months \$'000	Total \$'000
Bank overdraft	493	-	-	-	493
Payables	100	-	-	-	100
Distributions payable	1,334	-			1,334
Contractual cash flows	1,927			·	1,927
As at 30 June 2023					
Bank overdraft	744	-	-	-	744
Payables	146	-	-	-	146
Distributions payable	1,657				1,657
Contractual cash flows	2,547				2,547

# (d) Liquidity risk (continued)

(i) Maturities of non-derivative financial liabilities (continued)

#### VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF

	Less than 1 month \$'000	1-6 months \$'000	6-12 months \$'000	Over 12 months \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024					
Bank overdraft	512	-	-	-	512
Payables	362	-	-	-	362
Distributions payable	21,466	-			21,466
Contractual cash flows	22,340	-			22,340
As at 30 June 2023					
Bank overdraft	178	-	-	-	178
Payables	98	-	-	-	98
Distributions payable	1,008	-			1,008
Contractual cash flows	1,284	<u> </u>			1,284

#### VanEck MSCI International Value ETF

	Less than 1 month \$'000	1-6 months \$'000	6-12 months \$'000	Over 12 months \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024					
Bank overdraft	1,064	-	-	-	1,064
Payables	106	-	-	-	106
Distributions payable	9,912	-	-		9,912
Contractual cash flows	11,082	<u> </u>			11,082
As at 30 June 2023					
Bank overdraft	664	-	-	-	664
Payables	87	-	-	-	87
Distributions payable	6,158	<u> </u>	-		6,158
Contractual cash flows	6,909	<u> </u>			6,909

# (d) Liquidity risk (continued)

(i) Maturities of non-derivative financial liabilities (continued)

/ ETF				
Less than 1 month \$'000	1-6 months \$'000	6-12 months \$'000	Over 12 months \$'000	Total \$'000
293	-	-	-	293
1	-	-	-	1
41	-	-	-	41
633	<u> </u>	-	<u> </u>	633
968		<u> </u>	<u> </u>	968
117	-	-	-	117
14	-	-	-	14
460	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	460
591	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	591
	Less than 1 month \$'000 293 1 41 633 968 117 14 460	Less than 1 month         1-6 months           \$'000         \$'000           293         -           1         -           41         -           633         -           968         -           117         -           14         -           460         -	Less than 1       1-6 months       6-12 months $\$'000$ $\$'000$ 293       -         1       -         41       -         633       -         968       -         117       -         14       -         460       -	Less than 1       1-6 months       6-12 months       Over 12 months $\$'000$ $\$'000$ $\$'000$ $\$'000$ 293       -       -       -         1       -       -       -         41       -       -       -         633       -       -       -         968       -       -       -         117       -       -       -         14       -       -       -         460       -       -       -

#### VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF

	Less than 1 month \$'000	1-6 months \$'000	6-12 months \$'000	Over 12 months \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024					
Bank overdraft	25	-	-	-	25
Payables	11	-	-	-	11
Distributions payable	100				100
Contractual cash flows	136		<u> </u>		136

# VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF

	Less than 1 month \$'000	1-6 months \$'000	6-12 months \$'000	Over 12 months \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024					
Bank overdraft Due to brokers - payable for	24	-	-	-	24
securities purchased	3,570	-	-	-	3,570
Payables	2	-	-	-	2
Distributions payable	3,431			<u>-</u> .	3,431
Contractual cash flows	7,027	-			7,027

#### (d) Liquidity risk (continued)

(i) Maturities of non-derivative financial liabilities (continued)

VanEck MSCI International Value (	AUD Hedged) ETF				
	Less than 1 month \$'000	1-6 months \$'000	6-12 months \$'000	Over 12 months \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024					
Due to brokers - payable for securities purchased	89	-	-	-	89
Distributions payable	212	-			212
Contractual cash flows	301				301

#### VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF

	Less than 1 month \$'000	1-6 months \$'000	6-12 months \$'000	Over 12 months \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024					
Bank overdraft	416	-	-	-	416
Payables	103	-	-	-	103
Distributions payable	336				336
Contractual cash flows	855				855

#### (ii) Maturities of net settled derivative financial instruments

All net settled derivative financial instruments of the Fund in the current period have maturities of less than 1 month.

VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (Al	JD Hedged) ETF				
	Less than 1 month \$'000	1-6 months \$'000	6-12 months \$'000	Over 12 months \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024					
Foreign currency forward contracts	58	-			58
Total Net settled derivatives	58				58

#### (d) Liquidity risk (continued)

(ii) Maturities of net settled derivative financial instruments (continued)

VanEck MSCI International Small Co	ompanies Quality	(AUD Hedged) E	TF		
	Less than 1 month	1-6 months	6-12 months	Over 12 months	Total
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at 30 June 2024					
Foreign currency forward contracts	567	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	567
Total Net settled derivatives	567	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	567
VanEck MSCI International Value (A	UD Hedged) ETF Less than 1	1-6	6-12	Over 12	
	month	months	months	months	Total
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at 30 June 2024					
Foreign currency forward contracts	70		<u> </u>	<u> </u>	70
Total Net settled derivatives	70	<u> </u>	·	<b>-</b> _	70
VanEck Global Listed Private Credit	(AUD Hedged) E	TF			
	Less than 1	1-6	6-12	Over 12	
	month \$'000	months \$'000	months \$'000	months \$'000	Total \$'000
	<b>\$ 000</b>	<b>\$ 000</b>	<b>\$ 000</b>	<b>\$ 000</b>	<b>\$ 000</b>
As at 30 June 2024					
Foreign currency forward contracts	148		-	<u> </u>	148
Total Net settled derivatives	148	• .		<u> </u>	148

VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF, VanEck MSCI International Value ETF, VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF had nil settled derivatives as at 30 June 2024 and 30 June 2023.

# 4 Offsetting financial assets and financial liabilities

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Statements of financial position when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. The gross and net positions of financial assets and liabilities that have been offset in the Statements of financial position are disclosed in the first three columns of the tables below.

#### VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF

		fsetting on the inancial positio		Related amount not offset		
	Gross amounts of financial instruments	Gross amounts set off in the Statement of financial position	Net amount of financial instruments presented in the Statement of financial position	Amounts subject to master netting arrangements	Collateral received/ pledged	Net amount
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at 30 June 2024						
Financial assets						
Derivative financial instruments	58		58	-	-	58
Total	58		58	•	-	58
Financial liabilities						
Derivative financial instruments				_	-	_
Total					-	

VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF

		fsetting on the inancial positio		Related amount not offset		
	Gross amounts of financial instruments	Gross amounts set off in the Statement of financial position	Net amount of financial instruments presented in the Statement of financial position	Amounts subject to master netting arrangements	Collateral received/ pledged	Net amount
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at 30 June 2024						
Financial assets						
Derivative financial instruments	607	-	607	(40)		567
Total	607		607	(40)	-	567
Financial liabilities						
Derivative financial	10		10	(40)		
instruments	40		40	<u>(40)</u>		
Total	40		40	(40)		<u> </u>

# 4 Offsetting financial assets and financial liabilities (continued)

VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF

		fsetting on the nancial positio		Related amount not offset		
	Gross amounts of financial instruments	Gross amounts set off in the Statement of financial position	Net amount of financial instruments presented in the Statement of financial position	Amounts subject to master netting arrangements	Collateral received/ pledged	Net amount
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at 30 June 2024 Financial assets Derivative financial instruments Total	<u>70</u> 70	<u>-</u>	<u>70</u> 70	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>70</u> 70
Financial liabilities Derivative financial instruments Total		<u>-</u>	:	<u>-</u> .	<u>-</u>	<u>.</u>

VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF

		fsetting on the nancial positio		Related amount not offset		
	Gross amounts of financial instruments	Gross amounts set off in the Statement of financial position	Net amount of financial instruments presented in the Statement of financial position	Amounts subject to master netting arrangements	Collateral received/ pledged	Net amount
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at 30 June 2024 Financial assets Derivative financial						
instruments	148		148	<u>-</u> .	-	148
Total	148		148	<b>-</b> .	-	148
Financial liabilities Derivative financial						
instruments Total	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	·		<u> </u>
i otai				·		

# 4 Offsetting financial assets and financial liabilities (continued)

#### (a) Master netting arrangement - not currently enforceable

Agreements with derivative counterparties are based on the International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA) Master Agreement. Under the terms of these arrangements, only when certain credit events occur (such as default), the net position owing/receivable to a single counterparty in the same currency will be taken as owing and all the relevant arrangements terminated. As the Funds do not presently have a legally enforceable right of set-off, these amounts have not been offset in the Statements of financial position, but have been presented separately in the above tables.

#### 5 Fair value measurement

The Funds measure and recognise the following assets and liabilities at fair value on a recurring basis:

- Financial assets / liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (see Note 7 and Note 8)
- Derivative financial instruments (see Note 9)

The Funds have no assets or liabilities measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis in the current reporting period.

AASB 13 requires disclosure of fair value measurements by level of the following fair value hierarchy:

- (a) quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1);
- (b) inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly (level 2); and
- (c) inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs) (level 3).

#### (i) Fair value in an active market (level 1)

The fair value of financial assets and liabilities traded in active markets is based on their quoted market prices at the end of the reporting period without any deduction for estimated future selling costs.

The Funds value their investments in accordance with the accounting policies set out in Note 2 to the financial statements.

The quoted market price used for financial assets held by the Funds are the last traded price; the appropriate quoted market price for financial liabilities is the last traded price. When the Funds hold derivatives with offsetting market risks, they use mid-market prices as a basis for establishing fair values for the offsetting risk positions and apply this last traded price to the net open position, as appropriate.

A financial instrument is regarded as quoted in an active market if quoted prices are readily and regularly available from an exchange, dealer, broker, industry group, pricing service, or regulatory agency, and those prices represent actual and regularly occurring market transactions on an arm's length basis.

#### (ii) Valuation techniques used to derive level 2 and level 3 fair value

The fair value of financial assets and liabilities that are not traded in an active market is determined using valuation techniques. These include the use of recent arm's length market transactions, reference to the current fair value of a substantially similar other instrument, discounted cash flow techniques, option pricing models or any other valuation technique that provides a reliable estimate of prices obtained in actual market transactions.

Where discounted cash flow techniques are used, estimated future cash flows are based on management's best estimates and the discount rate used is a market rate at the end of the reporting period applicable for an instrument with similar terms and conditions.

For other pricing models, inputs are based on market data at the end of the reporting period. Fair values for unquoted equity investments are estimated, if possible, using applicable price/earnings ratios for similar listed companies adjusted to reflect the specific circumstances of the issuer.

#### (ii) Valuation techniques used to derive level 2 and level 3 fair value (continued)

The fair value of derivatives that are not exchange traded is estimated at the amount that the Funds would receive or pay to terminate the contract at the end of the reporting period taking into account current market conditions (volatility and appropriate yield curve) and the current creditworthiness of the counterparties. The fair value of a forward contract is determined as a net present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at appropriate market rates as at the valuation date.

Some of the inputs to these models may not be market observable and are therefore estimated based on assumptions.

The output of a model is always an estimate or approximation of a value that cannot be determined with certainty, and valuation techniques employed may not fully reflect all factors relevant to the positions the Funds hold. Valuations are therefore adjusted, where appropriate, to allow for additional factors including liquidity risk and counterparty risk.

#### Recognised fair value measurements

The tables below present the Funds' financial assets measured at fair value according to the fair value hierarchy as at 30 June 2024 and 30 June 2023.

#### VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF

	Level 1 \$'000	Level 2 \$'000	Level 3 \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Listed equities	74,225		<u>-</u>	74,225
Total	74,225		<u> </u>	74,225
As at 30 June 2023				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Listed equities	119,085			119,085
Total	119,085			119,085
VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quali As at 30 June 2024	ty ETF Level 1 \$'000	Level 2 \$'000	Level 3 \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024	Level 1			
	Level 1			
As at 30 June 2024 Financial assets at fair value through profit or	Level 1	\$'000		
As at 30 June 2024 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	Level 1 \$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at 30 June 2024 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Listed equities	Level 1 \$'000 <u>636,159</u>	\$'000	\$'000 	\$'000 636,159
As at 30 June 2024 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Listed equities Total	Level 1 \$'000 <u>636,159</u>	\$'000	\$'000 	\$'000 636,159
As at 30 June 2024 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Listed equities Total As at 30 June 2023	Level 1 \$'000 <u>636,159</u>	\$'000	\$'000 	\$'000 636,159
As at 30 June 2024 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Listed equities Total As at 30 June 2023 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	Level 1 \$'000 <u>636,159</u> <u>636,159</u>	\$'000	\$'000 	\$'000 <u>636,159</u> <u>636,159</u>

Recognised fair value measurements (continued)

VanEck	MSCI	International	Value	ETF

Vaneck MSCI International Value ETF				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at 30 June 2024				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Listed equities	240,295	-	-	240,295
Listed unit trusts	2,929			2,929
Total	243,224	-	<b>-</b>	243,224
As at 30 June 2023				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Listed equities	187,996	-	-	187,996
Listed unit trusts	1,169			1,169
Total	189,165			189,165

VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETI
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	Level 1 \$'000	Level 2 \$'000	Level 3 \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Equities	26,885	85	-	26,970
Listed unit trusts	2,636			2,636
Total	29,521	85		29,606
As at 30 June 2023				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Listed equities	12,490	-	-	12,490
Listed unit trusts	1,121			1,121
Total	13,611			13,611

Recognised fair value measurements (continued)

VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF	Level 1 \$'000	Level 2 \$'000	Level 3 \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Forwards		58		58
Listed equities	17,367	-	<u> </u>	17,367
Total	17,367	58		17,425
VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality As at 30 June 2024	r (AUD Hedged) E Level 1 \$'000	TF Level 2 \$'000	Level 3 \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Forwards	-	607	-	607
Listed unit trusts Total	<u> </u>	<u>-</u> 607	·	
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss				100,044
Forwards	<u>-</u> _	40	<u> </u>	40
Total	<b>-</b>	40	<u> </u>	40
VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF	Level 1 \$'000	Level 2 \$'000	Level 3 \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Forwards	-	70	-	70
Listed unit trusts	5,278			5,278
Total	5,278	70	<u> </u>	5,348

Recognised fair value measurements (continued)

VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged)	ETF			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at 30 June 2024				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Forwards	-	148	-	148
Listed equities	42,238	-	-	42,238
Total	42,238	148	<u> </u>	42,386

The Funds' policy is to recognise transfers into and transfers out of fair value hierarchy levels as at the end of the reporting period.

#### (i) Transfers between levels

There were no transfers between the levels in the fair value hierarchy for the year/period ended 30 June 2024 and year ended 30 June 2023. There were also no changes made to any of the valuation techniques applied as at 30 June 2024.

(ii) Fair value measurements using significant unobservable inputs (level 3)

The Funds did not hold any financial instruments with fair value measurements using significant unobservable inputs during the year/period ended 30 June 2024 or year ended 30 June 2023.

(iii) Fair values of other financial instruments

Due to their short-term nature, the carrying amounts of receivables and payables are assumed to approximate fair value.

#### 6 Net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss

Net gains/(losses) recognised in relation to financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss:

	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF Year ended		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETI Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Financial assets				
Net gains/(losses) on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(32,455)	5,250	56,510	17,470
Financial liabilities				
Net gains/(losses) on financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(152)	(173)	(23)	(276)
Total net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	(32,607)	5,077	56,487	17,194

# 6 Net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss (continued)

	VanEck MSCI International Value ETF Year ended		VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Financial assets				
Net gains/(losses) on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	14,733	24,573	4,352	2,085
Financial liabilities				
Net gains/(losses) on financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(79)	(351)	<u> </u>	(5)
Total net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	14,654	24,222	4,352	2,080

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$'000	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 31 January 2024 to 30 June 2024 \$'000
Financial assets Net gains/(losses) on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	1,165	1,652	177	1,091
Financial liabilities Net gains/(losses) on financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(134)	(1,135)		(493)
Total net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	1,031	517	177	598

# 7 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF As at		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ET As at	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Listed equities Listed unit trusts	74,225	119,085 	636,159 	170,530 <u>791</u>
Total financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	74,225	119,085	636,159	171,321
	VanEck MSCI Value		VanEck Global I Equity	
	As		Asa	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Equities	240,295	187,996	26,970	12,490
Listed unit trusts	2,929	1,169	2,636	1,121
Total financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	243,224	189,165	29,606	13,611

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF As at 30 June 2024	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF As at 30 June 2024	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF As at 30 June 2024	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF As at 30 June 2024
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Forwards (Note 9)	58	607	70	148
Listed equities	17,367	-	-	42,238
Listed unit trusts		103,337	5,278	
Total financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	17,425	103,944	5,348	42,386

For VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF, the foreign exchange risk is managed by hedging the exposure using foreign currency contracts. As at 30 June 2024, the net fair value of the financial assets being hedged was \$17,366,574. The net fair value of the gains/(losses) arising from the hedging instruments during the period was \$191,614.

# 7 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (continued)

For VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF, the foreign exchange risk is managed by hedging the exposure using foreign currency contracts. As at 30 June 2024, the net fair value of the financial assets being hedged was Nil. The net fair value of the gains/(losses) arising from the hedging instruments during the period was \$1,293,543.

For VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF, the foreign exchange risk is managed by hedging the exposure using foreign currency contracts. As at 30 June 2024, the net fair value of the financial assets being hedged was Nil. The net fair value of the gains/(losses) arising from the hedging instruments during the period was \$206,877.

For VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF, the foreign exchange risk is managed by hedging the exposure using foreign currency contracts. As at 30 June 2024, the net fair value of the financial assets being hedged was \$42,237,608. The net fair value of the gains/(losses) arising from the hedging instruments during the period was \$504,349.

The fair value of the net gains/(losses) arising on the hedged items resulted from factors that included but were not restricted to foreign exchange movements.

# 8 Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF
	As at
	30 June 2024
	\$'000
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	
Forwards (Note 9)	40
Total financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	40

#### 9 Derivative financial instruments

In the normal course of business the Funds enter into transactions in various derivative financial instruments which have certain risks. A derivative is a financial instrument or other contract which is settled at a future date and whose value changes in response to the change in a specified interest rate, financial instrument price, commodity price, foreign exchange rate, index of prices or rates, credit rating or credit index or other variable.

Derivative financial instruments require no initial net investment or an initial net investment that is smaller than would be required for other types of contracts that would be expected to have a similar response to changes in market factors.

Derivative transactions include many different instruments such as forwards, futures and options. Derivatives are considered to be part of the investment process and the use of derivatives is an essential part of the Funds' portfolio management. Derivatives are not managed in isolation. Consequently, the use of derivatives is multifaceted and includes:

- hedging to protect an asset or liability of the Funds against a fluctuation in market values, foreign exchange risk or to reduce volatility;
- a substitution for trading of physical securities; and
- adjusting asset exposures within the parameters set in the investment strategy, and adjusting the duration of fixed interest portfolios or the weighted average maturity of cash portfolios.

## 9 Derivative financial instruments (continued)

While derivatives are used for trading purposes, they are not used to gear (leverage) a portfolio. Gearing a portfolio would occur if the level of exposure to the markets exceeds the underlying value of the Funds.

The Funds hold the following derivatives:

#### (a) Foreign currency contracts

Foreign currency contracts are primarily used by the Funds to economically hedge against foreign currency exchange rate risks on its non-Australian dollar denominated trading securities. The Funds agree to receive or deliver a fixed quantity of foreign currency for an agreed upon price on an agreed future date. Foreign currency contracts are valued at the prevailing bid price at the end of each reporting period. The Funds recognise a gain or loss equal to the change in fair value at the end of each reporting period.

#### VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF

		alues	
	Contract/ notional \$'000	Assets \$'000	Liabilities \$'000
As at 30 June 2024			
Foreign currency contracts	<u> </u>	58	
	17,401	58	

#### VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF

		Fair values		
	Contract/ notional \$'000	Assets \$'000	Liabilities \$'000	
As at 30 June 2024				
Foreign currency contracts	113,569	607	40	
	113,569	607	40	

#### VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF

		Fair values		
	Contract/ notional \$'000	Assets \$'000	Liabilities \$'000	
As at 30 June 2024				
Foreign currency contracts	5,506	70		
	5,506	70		

# 9 Derivative financial instruments (continued)

#### (a) Foreign currency contracts (continued)

#### VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF

		Fair values	
	Contract/ notional \$'000	Assets \$'000	Liabilities \$'000
As at 30 June 2024			
Foreign currency contracts	<u>42,701</u> 42,701	<u>148</u>	<u> </u>

Information about the Funds exposure to credit risk, foreign exchange, interest rate risk and about the methods and assumptions used in determining fair values is provided in Note 3 and Note 5 to the financial statements. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the end of the reporting period is the carrying amount of each class of derivative financial instruments disclosed above.

#### 10 Units issued

Movements in the number of units during the year/period were as follows:

	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF Year ended		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF Year ended			
	30 June         30 June         30 June           2024         2023         2024		<b>30 June</b> 30 June		<b>30 June</b> 30 June <b>30 June</b> 3	
	No.'000	No.'000	No.'000	No.'000		
Opening balance	13,808	14,400	7,201	1,600		
Applications	800	201	20,031	5,700		
Redemptions	(2,500)	(800)	(3,900)	(100)		
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	20	7	1	1		
Closing balance	12,128	13,808	23,333	7,201		

	VanEck MSCI International Value ETF Year ended		VanEck Global Listed Privat Equity ETF Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	No.'000	No.'000	No.'000	No.'000
Opening balance	8,103	8,300	852	800
Applications	1,702	1,601	550	50
Redemptions	-	(1,800)	-	-
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions	9	2	5	2
Closing balance	9,814	8,103	1,407	852

# 10 Units issued (continued)

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 No.'000	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 No.'000	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 No.'000	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 31 January 2024 to 30 June 2024 No.'000
Opening balance	-	-	-	-
Applications	188	3,800	200	2,150
Redemptions	(50)	(150)	-	(50)
Units issued upon reinvestment of distributions				2
Closing balance	138	3,650	200	2,102

As stipulated within the Funds' Constitutions, a unit confers an equal undivided, vested, and indefeasible interest in the assets as a whole, subject to the liabilities. There are no separate classes of units and each unit has the same rights attaching to it as all other units of the Funds.

#### Capital risk management

The amount of net assets attributable to unitholders can change significantly on a daily basis as the Funds are subject to daily applications and redemptions at the discretion of the Authorised Participants.

Daily applications and redemptions are reviewed relative to the liquidity of the Funds' underlying assets on a daily basis by the Responsible Entity. Under the terms of the Funds' Constitutions, the Responsible Entity has the discretion to reject an application for units and to defer or adjust a redemption of units if the exercise of such discretion is in the best interests of unitholders.

# 11 Distributions to unitholders

The distributions during the year/period were as follows:

	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF Year ended			
	30 June 2024	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2023
	\$'000	CPU	\$'000	CPU
Distributions payable Total distributions	<u> </u>	<u>11.00</u> 11.00	<u> </u>	12.00 12.00

# 11 Distributions to unitholders (continued)

	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF Year ended			
	30 June 2024	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2023
	\$'000	CPU	\$'000	CPU
Distributions payable	21,466	92.00	1,008	14.00
Total distributions	21,466	92.00	1,008	14.00

	Van	VanEck MSCI International Value ETF Year ended			
	30 June 2024				30 June 2023
	\$'000	CPU	\$'000	CPU	
Distributions payable	9,912	101.00	6,158	76.00	
Total distributions	<u> </u>	101.00	6,158	76.00	

	VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF			
	Year ended			
	30 June 2024	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2023
	\$'000	CPU	\$'000	CPU
Distributions payable	633	45.00	460	54.00
Total distributions	633	45.00	460	54.00

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF	
	Period from	Period from	Period from	Period from
	7 November	7 November	7 November	7 November
	2023	2023	2023	2023
	to	to	to	to
	30 June	30 June	30 June	30 June
	2024	2024	2024	2024
	\$'000	CPU	\$'000	CPU
Distributions payable	100	73.00	3,431	94.00
Total distributions	100	73.00	3,431	94.00

# 11 Distributions to unitholders (continued)

	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF		VanEck Global Credit (AUD I	
	Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 31 January 2024 to 30 June 2024	Period from 31 January 2024 to 30 June 2024
	\$'000	CPU	\$'000	CPU
Distributions paid	-	-	729	64.00
Distributions payable	212	106.00	336	16.00
Total distributions	212	106.00	1,065	80.00

# 12 Cash and cash equivalents

	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF As at		
	30 June 2024 \$'000	30 June 2023 \$'000	
Cash at bank Total cash and cash equivalents	<u>150</u> 150	<u>291</u> 291	

#### Reconciliation to cash at the end of the year

The above figures are reconciled to cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the Statement of cash flow as follows:

	ETF	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF		
	As a	at		
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023		
	\$'000	\$'000		
Balances as above	150	291		
Bank overdrafts*	<u>(493)</u>	(744)		
Balance per Statement of cash flows	(343)	(453)		

\*The bank overdrafts are Westpac overdraft accounts used for dividend equitisation and the limit of this overdraft facility is \$750,000. In 2024, interest was charged between 6.60% and 7.10% p.a. (2023: between 4.85% and 6.85% p.a.).

	Small Companie	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF As at		
	30 June 2024 \$'000	30 June 2023 \$'000		
Cash at bank Total cash and cash equivalents	<u>418</u> 418	180 180		

#### Reconciliation to cash at the end of the year

The above figures are reconciled to cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the Statement of cash flow as follows:

	Small Companie	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF As at		
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023		
	\$'000	\$'000		
Balances as above	418	180		
Bank overdrafts*	<u>(512</u> )	<u>(178</u> )		
Balance per Statement of cash flows	(94)	2		

\*The bank overdrafts are Westpac overdraft accounts used for dividend equitisation and the limit of this overdraft facility is \$2,200,000. In 2024, interest was charged between 6.60% and 7.10% p.a. (2023: between 4.85% and 6.85% p.a.).

		VanEck MSCI International Value ETF	
	As a	As at	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	
	\$'000	\$'000	
Cash at bank	854	465	
Total cash and cash equivalents	854	465	

#### Reconciliation to cash at the end of the year

The above figures are reconciled to cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the Statement of cash flow as follows:

	Value I	VanEck MSCI International Value ETF As at	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	
	\$'000	\$'000	
Balances as above	854	465	
Bank overdrafts*	(1,064)	(664)	
Balance per Statement of cash flows	(210)	(199)	

\*The bank overdrafts are Westpac overdraft accounts used for dividend equitisation and the limit of this overdraft facility is \$1,900,000. In 2024, interest was charged between 6.60% and 7.10% p.a. (2023: between 4.85% and 6.85% p.a.).

	VanEck Global Equity As a	ETF
	30 June 2024 \$'000	30 June 2023 \$'000
Cash at bank Total cash and cash equivalents	<u>    109</u> <u>    109</u>	<u>50</u> 50

#### Reconciliation to cash at the end of the year

The above figures are reconciled to cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the Statement of cash flow as follows:

	Equity	VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF As at	
	30 June 2024 \$'000	30 June 2023 \$'000	
Balances as above Bank overdrafts* Balance per Statement of cash flows	109 (293) (184)	50 (117) (67)	

\*The bank overdrafts are Westpac overdraft accounts used for dividend equitisation and the limit of this overdraft facility is \$300,000. In 2024, interest was charged between 6.60% and 7.10% p.a. (2023: between 4.85% and 6.85% p.a.).

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF
	As at
	30 June 2024
	\$'000
Cash at bank	7
Total cash and cash equivalents	7

#### Reconciliation to cash at the end of the period

The above figures are reconciled to cash at the end of the financial period as shown in the Statement of cash flow as follows:

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF
	As at
	30 June
	2024
	\$'000
Balances as above	7
Bank overdrafts*	(25)
Balance per Statement of cash flows	(18)

\*The bank overdrafts are Westpac overdraft accounts used for dividend equitisation and the limit of this overdraft facility is \$350,000. In 2024, interest was charged between 6.45% and 7.10% p.a.

	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF As at 30 June 2024 \$'000
Cash at bank <b>Total cash and cash equivalents</b>	<u> </u>

#### Reconciliation to cash at the end of the period

The above figures are reconciled to cash at the end of the financial period as shown in the Statement of cash flow as follows:

	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF
	As at
	30 June 2024
	\$'000
Balances as above	41
Bank overdrafts*	(24)
Balance per Statement of cash flows	17

\*The bank overdrafts are Westpac overdraft accounts used for dividend equitisation and the limit of this overdraft facility is \$1,200,000. In 2024, interest was charged between 5.81% and 5.96% p.a.

	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF As at 30 June 2024 \$'000
Cash at bank	4
Total cash and cash equivalents	4
	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF
	As at
	30 June 2024
	\$'000
Cash at bank	383
Total cash and cash equivalents	383

#### Reconciliation to cash at the end of the period

The above figures are reconciled to cash at the end of the financial period as shown in the Statement of cash flow as follows:

	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF
	As at
	30 June
	2024
	\$'000
Balances as above	383
Bank overdrafts*	<u>(416)</u>
Balance per Statement of cash flows	(33)

\*The bank overdrafts are Westpac overdraft accounts used for dividend equitisation and the limit of this overdraft facility is \$700,000. In 2024, interest was charged 7.10% p.a.

# 13 Reconciliation of profit/(loss) to net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities

	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF Year ended		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
(a) Reconciliation of profit/(loss) to net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities				
Profit/(loss) for the year	(31,908)	6,097	57,869	17,857
Proceeds from sale of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	59,649	80,747	291,800	56,566
Purchase of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	(47,188)	(75,621)	(720,124)	(181,381)
Net (gains)/losses on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	32,607	(5,077)	(56,487)	(17,194)
Net change in receivables	320	(189)	(374)	(130)
Net change in payables	(46)	63	264	79
Dividend/distribution income reinvested	(59)	-	-	-
Effects of foreign currency exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(21)	(2)	(6)	(1)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	13,354	6,018	(427,058)	(124,204)
(b) Non-cash financing activities During the year, the following distribution payments were satisfied by the issue of units under the				
distribution reinvestment plan	171	62	21	25

# 13 Reconciliation of profit/(loss) to net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities (continued)

	VanEck MSCI International Value ETF Year ended		VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
(a) Reconciliation of profit/(loss) to net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Profit/(loss) for the year Proceeds from sale of financial instruments at fair	21,410	30,539	5,063	2,513
value through profit or loss Purchase of financial instruments at fair value	45,220	87,411	2,244	1,061
through profit or loss Net (gains)/losses on financial instruments at fair	(87,968)	(84,768)	(13,898)	(2,130)
value through profit or loss	(14,654)	(24,222)	(4,352)	(2,080)
Net change in receivables Net change in payables	(231) 19	(99) 4	(71) 27	(13) 3
Dividend/distribution income reinvested Effects of foreign currency exchange rate changes	-	-	(86)	(1)
on cash and cash equivalents	(31)	(68)	(2)	(3)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	(36,235)	8,797	(11,075)	(650)
(b) Non-cash financing activities During the year, the following distribution payments were satisfied by the issue of units under the				
distribution reinvestment plan	208	50	77	25

# 13 Reconciliation of profit/(loss) to net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities (continued)

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 31 January
	2023 to	2023 to	2023 to	2024 to
	30 June 2024	30 June 2024	30 June 2024	30 June 2024
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
(a) Reconciliation of profit/(loss) to net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities				
Profit/(loss) for the period	1,132	4,373	396	1,803
Proceeds from sale of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	13,921	6,832	202	1,840
Purchase of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	(30,475)	(106,649)	(5,284)	(43,795)
Net (gains)/losses on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	(1,031)	(517)	(177)	(598)
Net change in receivables	(32)	(3,468)	(212)	(442)
Net change in payables	11	2	-	103
Effects of foreign currency exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents				<u>(3</u> )
Net cash outflow from operating activities	<u>(16,474</u> )	<u>(99,427)</u>	(5,075)	(41,092)
(b) Non each financing activities				

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#### (b) Non-cash financing activities

During the period, the following distribution payments were satisfied by the issue of units under the distribution reinvestment plan

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# 14 Remuneration of auditors

During the year/period, the following fees were paid or payable for services provided by the auditor of the Funds:

	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ET	
	Year e	naea	Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Ernst & Young				
Audit services				
Audit and review of financial statements	12,400	12,400	12,400	12,400
Total auditor remuneration	12,400	12,400	12,400	12,400
Other assurance services				
Audit of compliance plan	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500
Total remuneration for other assurance services	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500
Total remuneration of Ernst & Young	13,900	13,900	13,900	13,900

	VanEck MSCI International Value ETF Year ended		VanEck Global Equity Year e	ETF
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Ernst & Young				
Audit services				
Audit and review of financial statements	12,400	12,400	12,400	12,400
Total auditor remuneration	12,400	12,400	12,400	12,400
Other assurance services				
Audit of compliance plan	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500
Total remuneration for other assurance services	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500
Total remuneration of Ernst & Young	13,900	13,900	13,900	13,900

# 14 Remuneration of auditors (continued)

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024 \$
Ernst & Young Audit services			
Audit and review of financial statements	12,400	12,400	12,400
Total auditor remuneration	12,400	12,400	12,400
Other assurance services			
Audit of compliance plan	1,500	1,500	1,500
Total remuneration for other assurance services	1,500	1,500	1,500
Total remuneration of Ernst & Young	13,900	13,900	13,900

VanEck
Global Listed
Private Credit
(AUD
Hedged) ETF
Period from
31 January
2024
to
30 June
2024
\$

Ernst & Young	
Audit services	
Audit of financial statements	9,000
Total auditor remuneration	9,000
Other assurance services	
Audit of compliance plan	<u> </u>
Total remuneration for other assurance services	1,500
Total remuneration of Ernst & Young	10,500

During the year/period, auditor's remuneration was paid by VanEck Australia Pty Ltd., the direct parent of the Responsible Entity.

# 15 Receivables

	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF As at		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ET As at	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Dividend and distributions receivable	407	733	444	154
GST receivables	48	42	109	25
Total Receivables	455	775	553	179

	VanEck MSCI International Value ETF		VanEck Global Listed Privat Equity ETF	
	As at		As a	at
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Dividend and distributions receivable	670	459	158	90
Interest receivable	-	1	-	-
GST receivables	60	39	7	4
Total Receivables	730	499	165	94

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF
	As at 30 June	As at 30 June	As at 30 June	As at 30 June
	2024	2024	2024	2024
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Dividend and distributions receivable	30	3,468	212	440
Applications receivable	-	2,917	-	-
GST receivables	2			2
Total Receivables	32	6,385	212	442

# 16 Payables

	VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF		VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ET	
	Asa	at	As at	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Management fees payable	44	64	304	78
Withholding tax payable	47	76	38	16
Other payables	9	6	20	4
Total Payables	100	146	362	98

	VanEck MSCI International Value ETF		VanEck Global Listed Priva Equity ETF	
	Asa	As at		at
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Management fees payable	83	61	15	7
Withholding tax payable	20	17	10	5
Other payables	3	9	16	2
Total Payables	106	87	41	14

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF
	As at	As at	As at
	30 June 2024	30 June 2024	30 June 2024
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Management fees payable	7	2	20
Withholding tax payable	4	-	67
Other payables			16
Total Payables	11	2	103

# 17 Related party transactions

#### **Responsible Entity**

The Responsible Entity of the Funds is a wholly owned subsidiary of VanEck Australia Pty Ltd. The direct parent of the Responsible Entity is a wholly owned subsidiary of Van Eck Associates Corporation, incorporated in the United States of America. The registered office of the Responsible Entity and the Funds is Level 47, Suite 2, 25 Martin Place, Sydney, NSW, Australia, 2000.

#### Key management personnel

Key management personnel include the Directors of the Responsible Entity and the Responsible Entity itself.

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Jan van Eck Arian Neiron Michael Brown Jonathan Simon Lee Rappaport

#### (a) Other key management personnel

There were no other key management personnel who had authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling activities of the Funds, directly or indirectly during the financial year/period.

#### (b) Key management personnel unitholdings

There were no key management personnel who held units in the VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF, VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF, VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF, VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF and VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF as at 30 June 2024 (30 June 2023: Nil).

The key management personnel of the Responsible Entity held units in the Funds as follows:

# VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF 30 June 2024

Unitholder	Number of units held opening (Units)	Number of units held closing (Units)	Fair value of investment (\$)	Interest held (%)	Number of units acquired (Units)	Number of units disposed (Units)	Distributions paid/payable by the Fund (\$)
Michael Brown	-	-	-	-	30,000	30,000	-

#### VanEck MSCI International Value ETF

30 June 2024

Unitholder	Number of units held opening (Units)	Number of units held closing (Units)	Fair value of investment (\$)	Interest held (%)	Number of units acquired (Units)	Number of units disposed (Units)	Distributions paid/payable by the Fund (\$)
Arian Neiron	1,000	1,000	25,763	0.01	-	-	1,010

#### (b) Key management personnel unitholdings (continued)

VanEck MSCI International Value ETF 30 June 2023

Unitholder	Number of units held opening (Units)	Number of units held closing (Units)	Fair value of investment (\$)	Interest held (%)	Number of units acquired (Units)	Number of units disposed (Units)	Distributions paid/payable by the Fund (\$)
Arian Neiron	1,000	1,000	24,095	0.01	-	-	760

# VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF 30 June 2024

Unitholder	Number of units held opening (Units)	Number of units held closing (Units)	Fair value of investment (\$)	Interest held (%)	Number of units acquired (Units)	Number of units disposed (Units)	Distributions paid/payable by the Fund (\$)
Michael Brown	-	-	-	-	29,000	29,000	18,560

#### Key management personnel compensation

Key management personnel are paid by VanEck Australia Pty Ltd, the parent company of the Responsible Entity. Payments made from the Funds to the Responsible Entity do not include any amounts attributable to the compensation of key management personnel.

#### Key management personnel loan disclosures

The Funds have not made, guaranteed or secured, directly or indirectly, any loans to the key management personnel or their personally related entities at any time during the reporting period (2023: Nil).

#### Other transactions within the Funds

Apart from those details disclosed in this note, no key management personnel have entered into a material contract with the Funds during the reporting year/period and there were no material contracts involving Directors' interests existing at year/period end (2023: Nil).

#### **Related party transactions**

The Responsible Entity received all management fees that have been paid by the Funds during the year/period.

VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF charges management costs of 0.65% per annum (2023: 0.65%). The Responsible Entity is entitled to receive an annual management fee of the total assets of the Fund under the terms of the Fund's Constitution. The management fee represents 100% of management costs. The management fees are paid on a quarterly basis.

VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF charges management costs of 0.59% per annum (2023: 0.59%). The Responsible Entity is entitled to receive an annual management fee of the total assets of the Fund under the terms of the Fund's Constitution. The management fee represents 100% of management costs. The management fees are paid on a quarterly basis.

#### Related party transactions (continued)

VanEck MSCI International Value ETF charges management costs of 0.40% per annum (2023: 0.40%). The Responsible Entity is entitled to receive an annual management fee of the total assets of the Fund under the terms of the Fund's Constitution. The management fee represents 100% of management costs. The management fees are paid on a quarterly basis.

VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF charges management costs of 0.65% per annum (2023: 0.65%). The Responsible Entity is entitled to receive an annual management fee of the total assets of the Fund under the terms of the Fund's Constitution. The management fee represents 100% of management costs. The management fees are paid on a quarterly basis.

VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF charges management costs of 0.52% per annum. The Responsible Entity is entitled to receive an annual management fee of the total assets of the Fund under the terms of the Fund's Constitution. The management fee represents 100% of management costs. The management fees are paid on a quarterly basis.

VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF charges management costs of 0.62% per annum. The Responsible Entity is entitled to receive an annual management fee of the total assets of the Fund under the terms of the Fund's Constitution. The management fee represents 100% of management costs. The management fees are paid on a quarterly basis.

VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF charges management costs of 0.43% per annum. The Responsible Entity is entitled to receive an annual management fee of the total assets of the Fund under the terms of the Fund's Constitution. The management fee represents 100% of management costs. The management fees are paid on a quarterly basis.

VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF charges management costs of 0.65% per annum. The Responsible Entity is entitled to receive an annual management fee of the total assets of the Fund under the terms of the Fund's Constitution. The management fee represents 100% of management costs. The management fees are paid on a guarterly basis.

All expenses in connection with the preparation of accounting records and maintenance of the register of unitholders for each Fund are fully borne by the Responsible Entity.

All related party transactions are conducted on normal commercial terms and conditions. The transactions during the year/period and amounts payable/receivable at year/period end between the Funds and the Responsible Entity were as follows:

		VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF		nternational s Quality ETF
	Year er	ded	Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Responsible Entity's fees paid and payable for the year Aggregate amounts payable to the Responsible Entity	618,889	842,005	2,250,682	449,108
at the end of the year	43,650	63,755	303,745	78,318

#### Related party transactions (continued)

	VanEck MSCI I Value I Year er	ETF	VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Responsible Entity's fees paid and payable for the year Aggregate amounts payable to the Responsible Entity	914,637	759,959	127,286	77,259
at the end of the year	83,485	61,479	15,250	7,057

	VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF	VanEck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF
	Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 7 November 2023 to 30 June 2024	Period from 31 January 2024 to 30 June 2024
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Responsible Entity's fees paid and payable for the period Aggregate amounts payable to the Responsible Entity	45,354	10,908	652	61,387
at the end of the period	7,315	2,454	311	20,158

#### Related party unit holdings

Parties related to the Funds (including VanEck Investments Limited, their related parties and other schemes managed by VanEck Investments Limited), held no units in all funds except VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF and VanEck MSCI International Value ETF as at 30 June 2024 and 30 June 2023.

#### Related party unit holdings (continued)

Parties related to the VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF and VanEck MSCI International Value ETF held units in those particular funds as follows:

#### VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF

30 June 2024 Unitholder	Number of units held opening (Units)	Number of units held closing (Units)	Fair value of investment (\$)	Interest held (%)	Number of units acquired (Units)	Number of units disposed (Units)	Distributions paid/payable by the Fund (\$)
VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF	-	3,792,492	103,336,635	16.25	4,013,472	220,980	3,467,565

# VanEck MSCI International Value ETF 30 June 2024

Unitholder	Number of units held opening (Units)	Number of units held closing (Units)	Fair value of investment (\$)	Interest held (%)	Number of units acquired (Units)	Number of units disposed (Units)	Distributions paid/payable by the Fund (\$)
VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF		213,064	5,277,444	2.17	215,671	2,607	211,761

#### Investments

All the Funds presented, other than VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF and VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF, did not hold any investments in VanEck Investments Limited or their related parties during the year (2023: Nil).

The VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF and VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF held investments in the following schemes which are also managed by VanEck Investments Limited or their related parties:

	Fair value of	Interest	Distributions	Units acquired	Units disposed
	investments	held	received/receivable	during the period	during the period
	2024	2024	2024	2024	2024
	\$	%	\$	No.	No.
VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF	103,336,635	16.25	3,467,565	4,013,472	220,980

Investments (continued)

	Fair value of investments	Interest held	Distributions received/receivable	Units acquired during the period	Units disposed during the period
	2024	2024	2024	2024	2024
	\$	%	\$	No.	No.
VanEck MSCI International Value ETF	5,277,444	2.17	211,761	215,671	2,607

# 18 Events occurring after the reporting period

No significant events have occurred since the end of the reporting period which would impact on the financial position of the Funds disclosed in the Statements of financial position as at 30 June 2024 or on the results and cash flows of the Funds for the year/period ended on that date.

# 19 Contingent assets and liabilities and commitments

There are no outstanding contingent assets, liabilities or commitments as at 30 June 2024 and 30 June 2023.

#### **Directors' declaration**

In the opinion of the Directors of the Responsible Entity:

- (a) the financial statements and notes set out on pages 9 to 73 are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
  - (i) complying with Australian Accounting Standards, the *Corporations Regulations 2001* and other mandatory professional reporting requirements; and
  - giving a true and fair view of the Funds' financial position as at 30 June 2024 and of their performance for the reporting period ended on that date; and
- (b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Funds will be able to pay their debts as and when they become due and payable.
- (c) Note 2(a) confirms that the financial statements also comply with the International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Directors.

Michael Brown Director

Sydney 26 September 2024



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# Independent Auditor's Report

To the unitholders of the following VanEck Global Equity Funds (8 of) (the "Funds")

- VanEck Global Clean Energy ETF (CLNE)
- VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality ETF (QSML)
- VanEck MSCI International Value ETF (VLUE)
- VanEck Global Listed Private Equity ETF (GPEQ)
- VanEck Morningstar Wide Moat (AUD Hedged) ETF (MHOT)
- VanEck MSCI International Small Companies Quality (AUD Hedged) ETF (QHSM)
- VanEck MSCI International Value (AUD Hedged) ETF (HVLU)
- Vaneck Global Listed Private Credit (AUD Hedged) ETF (LEND)

#### Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial report of the above Funds, which comprises the statements of financial position as at 30 June 2024, the statements of comprehensive income, statements of changes in equity and statements of cash flows for the year/period then ended, notes to the financial statements, including material accounting policy information and the directors' declaration of VanEck Investments Limited, the Responsible Entity of the Funds.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of the Funds is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (i) giving a true and fair view of the Funds' financial position as at 30 June 2024 and of their financial performance for the year/period ended on that date; and
- (ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

# Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Funds in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards)* (the "Code") that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.



# Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial report of the current year. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial report as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, but we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis for our audit opinion on the accompanying financial report.

#### Investment Existence and Valuation

#### Why significant

As exchange traded funds, the Funds have significant investment portfolios consisting primarily of listed equity securities and listed unit trusts. As at 30 June 2024, the value of these financial assets were as follows:

Fund	Value of investments	Investment as a % of Total Assets held by the Fund
CLNE	\$ 74,225,000	97.7%
QSML	\$ 636,159,000	96.7%
VLUE	\$ 243,224,000	95.8%
GPEQ	\$ 29,606,000	97.3%
мнот	\$17,425,000	98.9%
QHSM	\$103,944,000	94.2%
HVLU	\$5,348,000	96.1%
LEND	\$42,386,000	97.7%

As disclosed in the Funds' accounting policy, in Note 2 to the financial report, these financial assets are recognised at fair value through profit or loss in accordance with the requirements of Australian Accounting Standards.

Pricing, exchange rates and other market drivers can have a significant impact on the value of these financial assets and relevant disclosures in the financial report. Accordingly, valuation of the investment portfolio was considered a key audit matter.

# How our audit addressed the key audit matter

Our audit procedures included:

We obtained and assessed the assurance report on the controls of the Funds' administrator and custodian, in relation to the Fund Administration Services and Custody Services it provided for the year ended 30 June 2024 and assessed the auditor's qualifications, competence, objectivity and the results of their procedures.

We agreed all investment holdings to third party confirmations at 30 June 2024.

We assessed the fair value of all investments in the portfolio held at 30 June 2024. For listed equity securities and listed unit trusts, the values were verified against independently sourced market prices.

We assessed the adequacy of the disclosures included in Notes 2, 5 and 7 to the financial report.



#### Information Other than the Financial Report and Auditor's Report Thereon

The directors of the Responsible Entity are responsible for the other information. The other information is the directors' report accompanying the financial report.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### Responsibilities of the Directors of the Responsible Entity for the Financial Report

The directors of the Responsible Entity are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors of the Responsible Entity determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the directors of the Responsible Entity are responsible for assessing each Fund's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Directors of the Responsible Entity either intend to liquidate the Fund or cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

# Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Funds' internal control.



- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors of the Responsible Entity.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors of the Responsible Entity of the Funds use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Funds' ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Funds to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the directors of the Responsible Entity regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the directors of the Responsible Entity with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, actions taken to eliminate threats or safeguards applied.

From the matters communicated to the directors of the Responsible Entity, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial report of the current year and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

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Rita Da Silva Partner Sydney 26 September 2024