

Analysis Of Retail Managed Funds as at March 2017 – Administrator View

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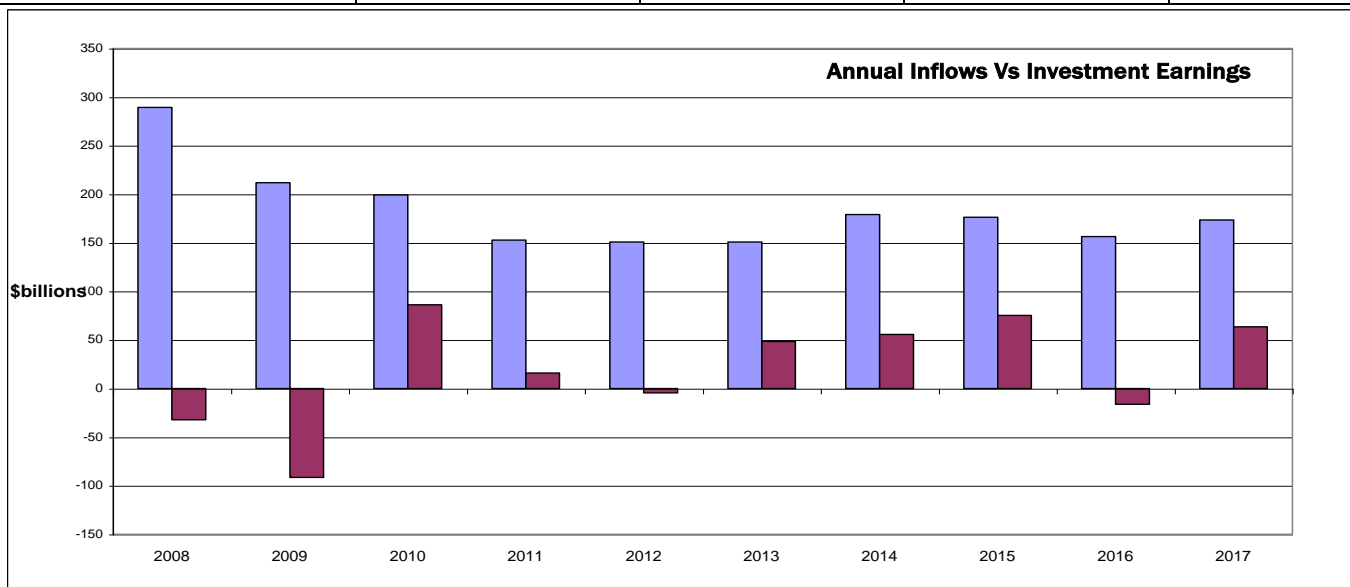
\$17.2bn Increase in Retail Managed Funds during March Quarter 2017

Overall Retail Managed Funds ended the year to March up 10.1% to total \$828.3bn. During the March quarter they increased 2.1% with most this rise due to positive performances on underlying investment markets. Over the past year all of the leading companies reported increases in their funds under management led by netwealth, Macquarie, Mercer, AMP, Commonwealth / Colonial and BT.

Gross Inflows fell 8.7% to \$39.3bn during the March 2017 quarter however year on year they were still up by a substantial 11.0%. Inflows into all of the Retail sub-markets except Cash Trusts were higher with those into the main Superannuation, Retirement Income and Unit Trusts & Investment Funds markets up 11.0%, 12.0% and 19.6% respectively. Insurance Bond Inflows jumped 31.8% but that was off a relatively very low base while those into Cash Trusts fell 18.3% year on year as this sub-market continues to contract.

Funds Under Management								
\$millions	Mar-17		Dec-16		Mar-16		Growth Rates	
							Qtrly	Annual
BT Financial	148,624	17.9%	145,883	18.0%	135,206	18.0%	1.9%	9.9%
AMP	142,668	17.2%	140,451	17.3%	127,739	17.0%	1.6%	11.7%
Commonwealth / Colonial	128,856	15.6%	125,592	15.5%	116,868	15.5%	2.6%	10.3%
National Australia / MLC	111,410	13.5%	109,524	13.5%	103,828	13.8%	1.7%	7.3%
Macquarie	72,398	8.7%	70,702	8.7%	59,957	8.0%	2.4%	20.7%
ANZ Wealth	40,444	4.9%	39,942	4.9%	44,799	6.0%	1.3%	-9.7%
IOOF	35,048	4.2%	34,427	4.2%	32,388	4.3%	1.8%	8.2%
Mercer	21,989	2.7%	21,728	2.7%	19,356	2.6%	1.2%	13.6%
StatePlus	17,753	2.1%	17,493	2.2%	16,619	2.2%	1.5%	6.8%
netwealth	11,386	1.4%	10,528	1.3%	8,234	1.1%	8.2%	38.3%
Others	97,737	11.8%	94,882	11.7%	87,040	11.6%	3.0%	12.3%
Totals	828,312	100.0%	811,151	100.0%	752,032	100.0%	2.1%	10.1%

Analysis By Market								
Superannuation & Rollovers	386,055	46.6%	378,957	46.7%	351,482	46.7%	1.9%	9.8%
Retirement Income	207,232	25.0%	203,734	25.1%	190,361	25.3%	1.7%	8.9%
Cash Trusts	5,751	0.7%	5,849	0.7%	6,373	0.8%	-1.7%	-9.8%
Unit Trusts & Investment Funds	221,930	26.8%	215,320	26.5%	196,849	26.2%	3.1%	12.7%
Investment Bonds	7,343	0.9%	7,292	0.9%	6,967	0.9%	0.7%	5.4%
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