

## ASX Earnings Call Press Release As at 30 June 2024

## **GQG** Partners

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16 August 2024

**ASX Limited** ASX Market Announcements Office Exchange Centre 20 Bridge Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

GQG Partners Inc. (ARBN 651 066 330) Interim results for the six-month period ended 30 June 2024

#### **SELECT HIGHLIGHTS**

- Net flows of US\$11.1 billion for the period
- Funds under management of US\$155.6 billion as at 30 June 2024
- Net revenue of US\$363.1 million for the period, up \$126.0 million from 2023 half year results
- Net operating income of US\$273.2 million for the period, up 54.9% from 2023 half year results
- Board declares a quarterly interim dividend of US\$0.0335 per share. This represents 90% of distributable earnings for the quarter ended 30 June 2024.

#### **RESULTS SUMMARY**

	1H 2O24	1H 2O23	Change
Average funds under management (US\$ billions)	139.5	95.2	46.5%
Closing FUM (US\$ billions)	155.6	104.1	49.5%
Net revenue (US\$ millions)	363.1	237.1	53.1%
Net operating income (US\$ millions)	273.2	176.4	54.9%
Net income after tax (US\$ millions)	201.2	128.6	56.4%
Distributable earnings (US\$ millions)	209.9	136.6	53.7%
Diluted EPS (US\$)	0.07	0.04	75.0%
Total dividends paid per share (US\$)	0.0566	0.0387	46.3%





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Tim Carver, CEO, said, "We are pleased to announce our half year financial results for the period ending 30 June 2024. GQG ended the period with funds under management (FUM) across all strategies and vehicles at an all-time high of U\$\$155.6 billion. FUM increased 49.5% from U\$\$104.1 billion as at 30 June 2023 due to strong investment performance and positive net inflows into our strategies. During the first half of 2024, GQG had positive net flows of U\$\$11.1 billion. Our net revenue in the first half of 2024 was U\$\$363.1 million, an increase of 53.1%, compared to the first half of last year. During the first six months of 2024, net operating income increased by 54.9% from U\$\$176.4 million during the first half of 2023 to U\$\$273.2 million.

Our financial results were driven in large part by our investment performance over the long-term. As at the end of June 2024, our strategies continued to generate solid relative returns with lower volatility compared to their benchmarks, which we believe provides the foundation for continued business success.

### GOG PARTNERS STRATEGY COMPOSITES TOTAL RETURN PERFORMANCE

'As at 30 JUNE 2024

ATEGY	GQG PARTNERS INTERNATIONAL EC	QUITY STRATEGY
5 YRS	TOTAL RETURNS SUMMARY	5 YRS
15.74	Composite net of fees %	12.20
10.76	MSCI ACWI Ex USA Index (Net) %	5.55
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5 YRS	TOTAL RETURNS SUMMARY	5 YRS
10.17	Composite net of fees %	19.34
3.10	S&P 500 <sup>®</sup> %	15.05
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Represents composite performance for GQG Partners' primary investment strategies calculated in US dollars. Returns are presented net of management fees and include the reinvestment of all income. Net performance is calculated after the deduction of actual trading expenses and other administrative fees (custody, legal, administration, audit and organization fees). Net of fee returns also are calculated by deducting GQG's stated annual fee for separately managed accounts, pro-rated on a quarterly basis. Net performance is net of foreign withholding taxes. Performance presented does not include composite performance achieved prior to 1 June 2016. Returns for periods greater than one year are annualized. PAST PERFORMANCE MAY NOT BE INDICATIVE OF FUTURE RESULTS. The complete composite track records for the above strategies can be found in GQG Partners' 2024 Half Year Earnings Presentation. The above information is provided for informational purposes and is not intended as an offer of any GQG products or services.

We believe our positive net flows of US\$11.1 billion during the first half of 2024 reflect our clients' trust in our approach, driven by the consistency of our long-term returns. We anticipate continued positive flows in 2024 with a reasonable pipeline of client demand across multiple geographies and channels.

We continue to offer what we believe are attractive fees relative to our competition. Our weighted average management fee for the half year period increased from 48.3 basis points in 2023 to 49.3 basis points, driven by a shift in FUM mix. As in prior periods, our revenue is overwhelmingly derived from asset-based fees, with only 5.4% of our revenues for the first half of 2024 coming from performance fees. We expect this revenue mix to remain stable over time, contributing to what we consider to be a high-quality earnings profile.

We continue to believe if we react to dynamic markets in a disciplined manner, we will have the opportunity to find solid investments for our clients over the long-term. Thank you for your trust in our business and our team," Mr. Carver concluded.





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#### QUARTERLY DIVIDEND

On 16 August 2024, the Company announced that the Board of Directors declared a quarterly interim dividend of US\$0.0335 per share / CHESS Depositary Interest.

Below is the timetable for the upcoming dividend (dates in Australian eastern time):

Announcement Date	16 August 2024	
Ex-Dividend Date	21 August 2024	
Record Date	22 August 2024	
Cash Payment Date	26 September 2024	

In line with the capabilities of our share registry, the currency conversion rate from US dollars to Australian dollars for the dividend will be released on or before 13 September 2024.

Find our Half Year Report and more at our Investor Centre:

https://investors.ggg.com/investor-centre/

GQG Partners Inc. is a global investment boutique focused on managing active equity portfolios and is headquartered in the United States. As at 31 July 2024, our group managed US\$156.3 billion for investors that include large pension funds, sovereign funds, wealth management firms, and other financial institutions around the world. GQG is listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX:GQG). Further information can be obtained from ggg.com.

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#### INFORMATION ABOUT BENCHMARKS

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The MSCI All Country World (Net) Index (MSCI ACWI) is a global equity index, which tracks stocks from 23 developed and 24 emerging markets countries. Developed countries include: Australia, Austral, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the UK and the US. Emerging Markets countries include: Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Czech Republic, Egypt, Greece, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Korea, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mexico, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey and United Arab Emirates. With 2,760 constituents (as at 30 June 2024), the index covers approximately 85% of the global investable equity opportunity set.

The MSCI All Country World ex USA (Net) Index (MSCI ACWI ex USA) is an international equity index that excludes securities from the United States. The index tracks stocks from 22 developed and 24 emerging markets countries. Developed countries include: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the UK. Emerging Markets countries include: Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Czech Republic, Egypt, Greece, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Korea, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mexico, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey and United Arab Emirates. With 2,159 constituents (as at 30 June 2024), the index covers approximately 85% of the international equity opportunity set outside of the US.

The MSCI Emerging Markets (Net) Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that consists of indices in 24 emerging economies: Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Czech Republic, Egypt, Greece, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Korea, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mexico, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey and United Arab Emirates. With 1,330 constituents (as at 30 June 2024), the index covers about 85% of the free float-apjusted market capitalization in each country.

The S&P 500% Index is a widely used stock market index that can serve as barometer of US stock market performance, particularly with respect to larger capitalization stocks. It is a market-weighted index of stocks of 500 leading companies in leading industries and represents a significant portion of the market value of all stocks publicly traded in the United States. The S&P 500 Index is a product of S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC, a division of S&P Global, or lits affiliates (SPDJI) and has been licensed for use by GQG Partners LLC. Standard & Poor's and S&P® are registered trademarks of Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC, a division of S&P Global (S&P); Dow Jones® is a registered trademark of Dow Jones Trademark Holdings LLC (Dow Jones). GQG Partners US Equity is not sponsored, endorsed, sold or promoted by SPDJI, Dow Jones, S&P, their respective affiliates, and none of such parties make any presentation regarding the advisability of investing in such product(s) nor do they have any liability for any errors, omissions, or interruptions of the S&P 300 Index.

Net total return indices reinvest dividends after the deduction of withholding taxes, using (for international indices) a tax rate applicable to nonresident institutional investors who do not benefit from double taxation treaties.

Information about benchmark indices is provided to allow you to compare it to the performance of GQG strategies. Investors often use these well-known and widely recognized indices as one way to gauge the investment performance of an investment manager's strategy compared to investment sectors that correspond to the strategy. However, GQG's investment strategies are actively managed and not intended to replicate the performance of the performance and volatility of GQG's investment strategies may differ materially from the performance and volatility of their benchmark indices, and their holdings will differ significantly from the securities that comprise the indices. You cannot invest directly in indices, which do not take into account trading commissions and costs.