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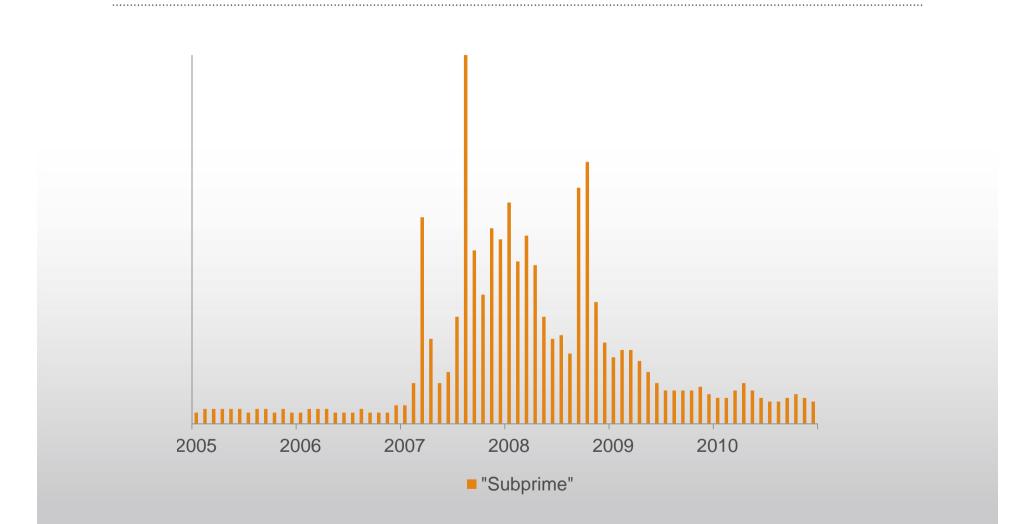








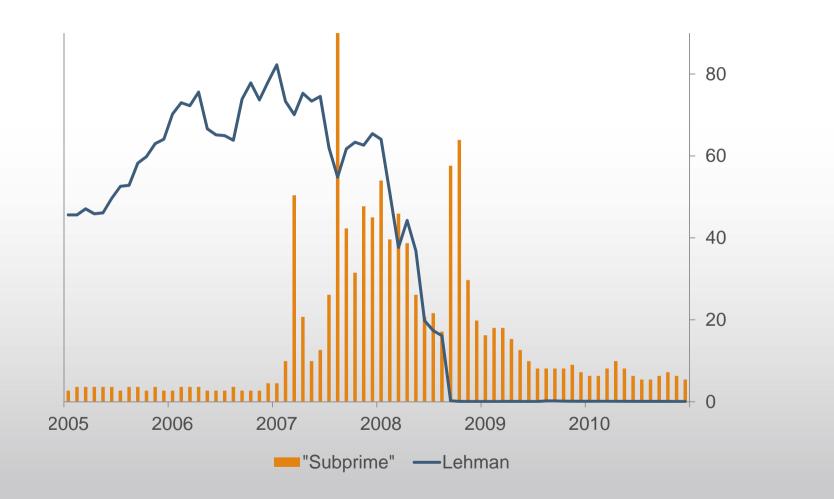
#### Google Trends: "Subprime"







#### Google Trends: "Subprime" v Lehman





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#### **Google Trends: "Financial Crisis"**





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#### **Google Trends: "Financial Crisis" v S&P**

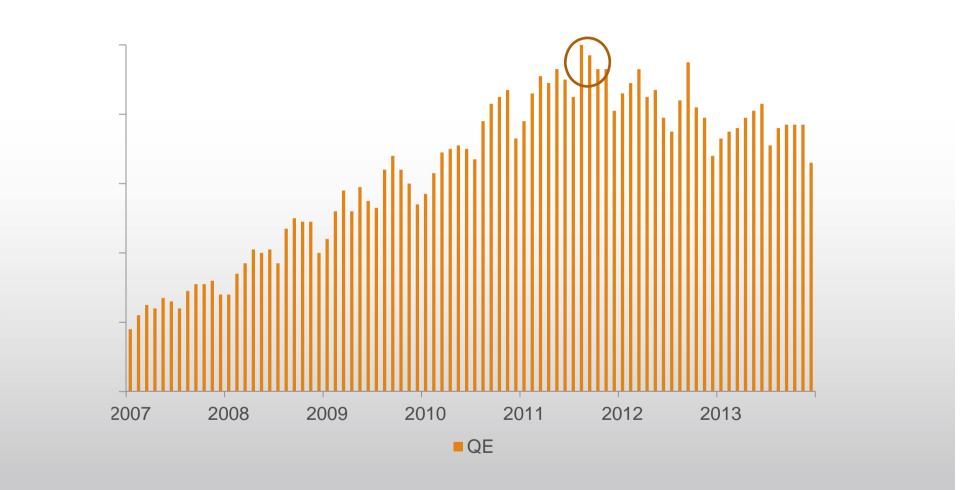






### **Google Trends: "QE"**

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#### Google Trends: "QE" v US 10yr bonds



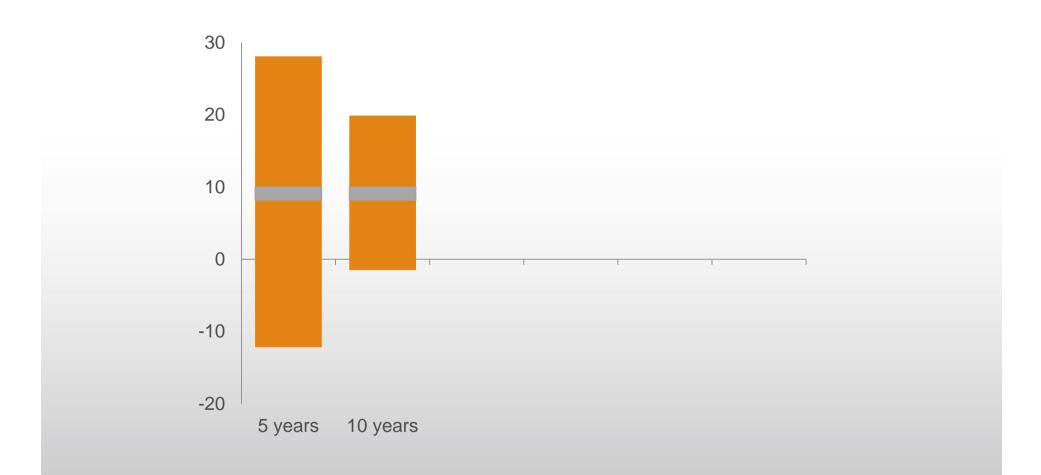






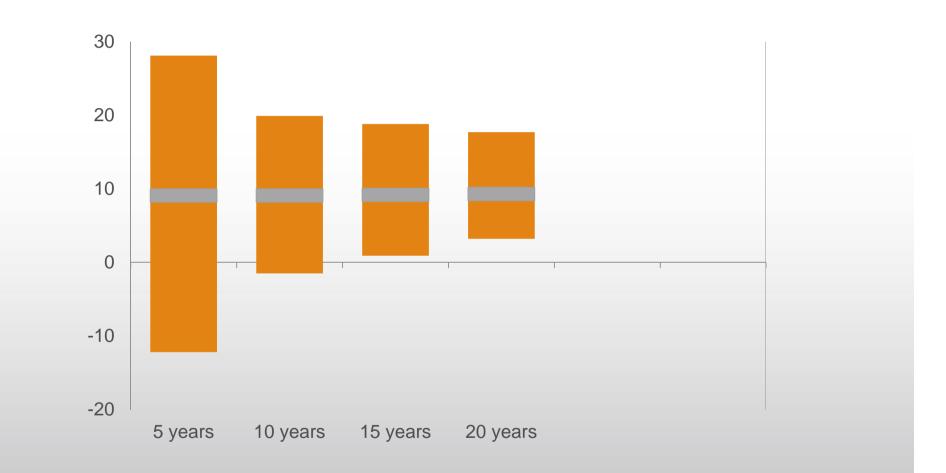






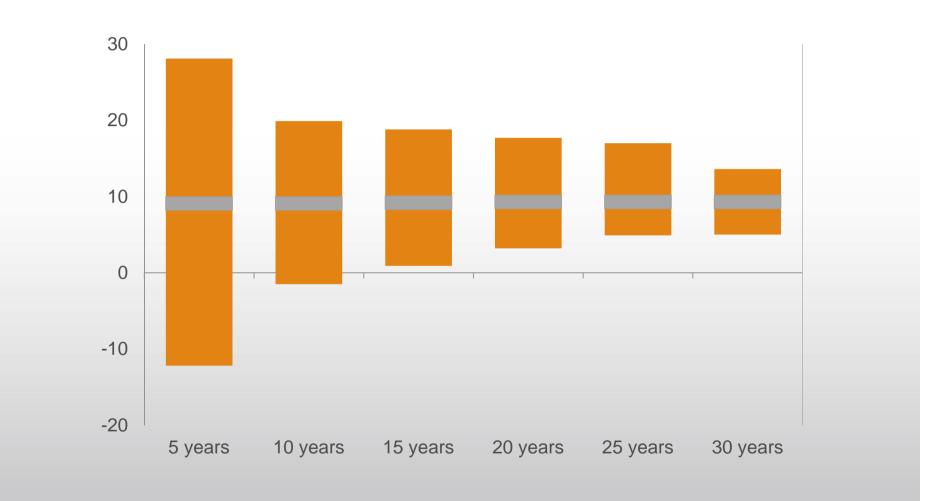






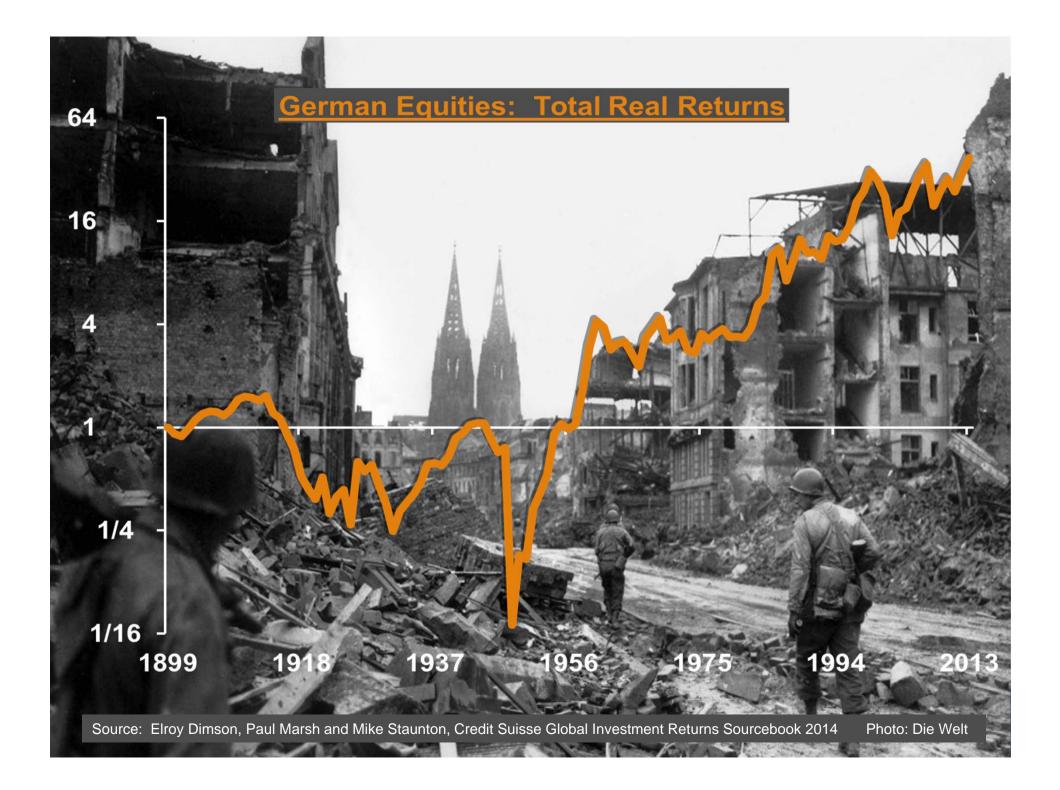








Source: Minack Associates







#### Australia's Terms of Trade Boost









## MSCI World Index suggests...

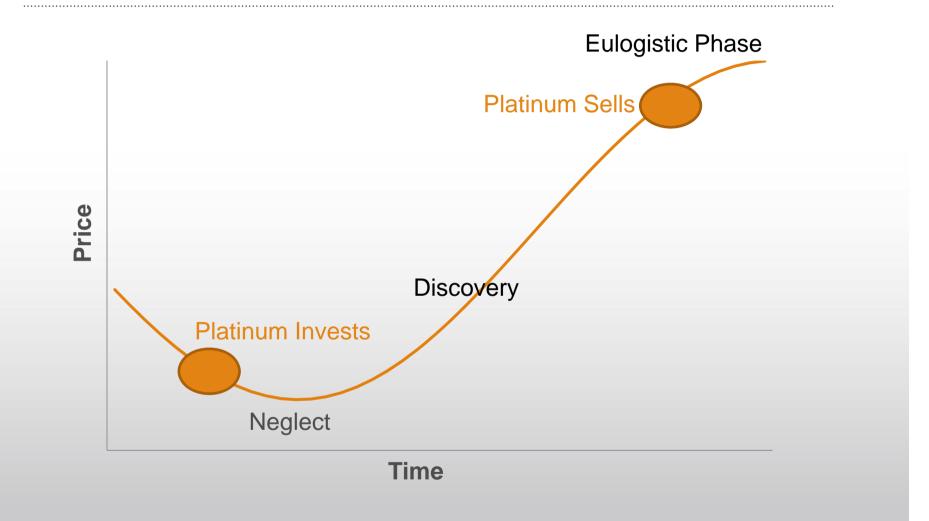
# Almost 50% of <u>future value</u> will be created by <u>US corporates?</u>



Source: MSCI



#### Platinum's Approach (1994-)







#### **Summary**

- Price is everything
- History has lessons
- Growth is great but apparent winners are not the only opportunities
- DNA counts beware of the burden of change for monopolies
- Avoid over-simplification and cater for the unexpected
- Extrapolation ignores change whither the A\$?
- Composition should anticipate the future not bask in the past





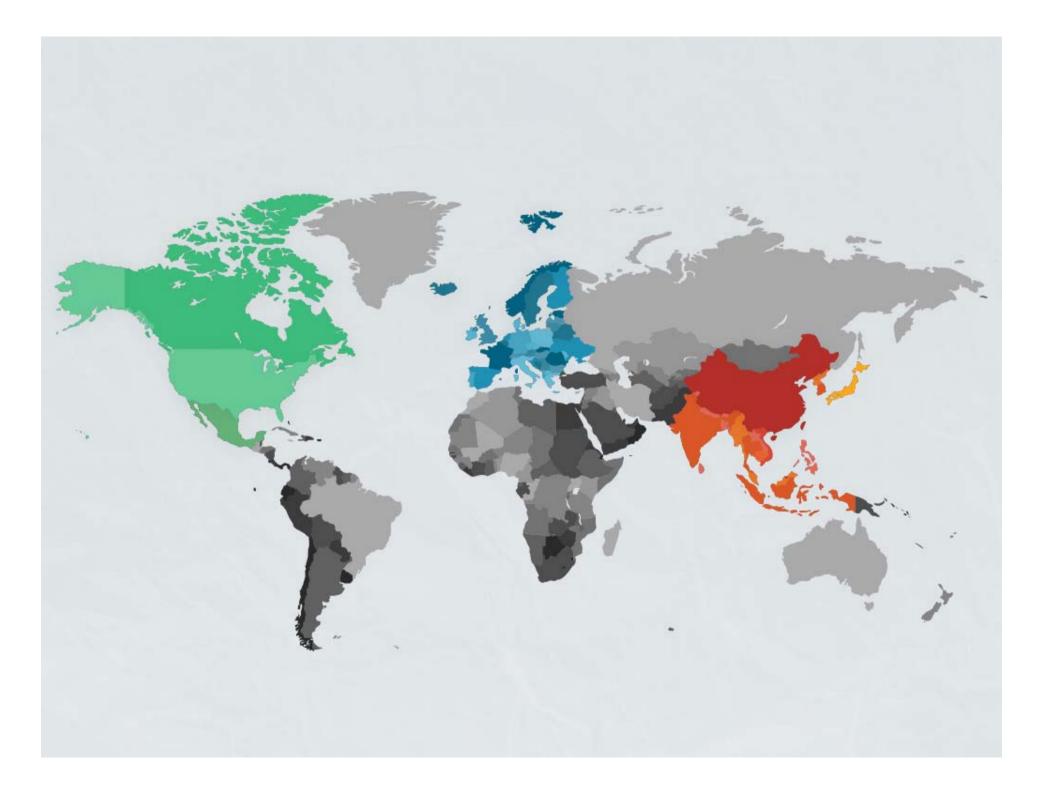












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