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## **Platinum Capital Limited**

The preliminary unaudited net asset backing as at 31 August 2003 was \$1.73 per share (31/07/03 \$1.65). The net asset backing is calculated on a liquidation basis. Investments are at net market value and are after provision for tax on both realised and unrealised income and gains. The share price at 31 August 2003 was \$2.32.

Unaudited additional information:

	31 Aug 2003 \$	31 Jul 2003 \$	
Pre-tax NAV	1.6927	1.5943	
Tax instalments & previous years' tax	0.0546	0.0561	
Current year tax provision	(0.0069)	(0.0076)	
Unrealised tax	(0.0142)	0.0076	
Post-tax NAV	1.7262	1.6504	
	Month To	12 Months To	Since
	31/08/03	31/08/03	Inception
Performance			
Pre –Tax	6.18%	14.57%	381.51%
Post – Tax	4.59%	11.63%	205.86%
MSCI	2.28%	-5.60%	88.90%
Franking Account		As at	
		31/08/03	
		Cents per share	
Estimated Realised Franking Account Balance		32.01	
Estimated Franking on Unrealised Tax Provision		2.11	
Estimated Total Franking		34.12	
Estimated retained earnings			
Estimated retained earnings		66.14cps	

At present, the company's portfolio is 31% short individual shares and stock indices. We remain hedged into the \$A at 52% and own Euros, Swiss Francs and Korean Won.

M Halstead Secretary