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April 2012 Result – Slipping Behind Again

The **ACT Australian CleanTech Index** fell in April 2012 underperforming both the S&P ASX200 Index and the S&P Small Ordinaries Index.

The ACT Australian CleanTech Index fell from 41.1 to 39.8 over the month of April recording a 3.0% loss. This compared to the S&P ASX200 gain of 2.3% and the S&P ASX Small Ordinaries Index loss of 1.4%. The **Australian CleanTech 20** was about on par for the month recording a 2.9% loss.

The three month trend for the ACT Australian CleanTech Index has now fallen behind the general market but the six month figures remain ahead.

Percentage Change	FY07	FY08	FY09	FY10	FY11	Apr'12	3 Months	6 Months	12 Months	3 Years
ACT Australian CleanTech Index	42.9%	-16.0%	-38.7%	-32.0%	-8.1%	-3.0%	-2.7%	2.6%	-23.9%	-37.6%
Australian CleanTech 20	56.4%	-20.7%	-34.6%	-16.3%	-17.6%	-2.9%	-1.3%	5.8%	-35.1%	-41.0%
S&P/ASX200	25.4%	-16.4%	-25.8%	11.8%	4.2%	2.3%	3.8%	1.9%	-9.0%	20.0%
S&P/ASX Small Ords	40.4%	-23.0%	-32.4%	10.5%	9.5%	-1.4%	4.1%	2.0%	-11.5%	34.0%

The market capitalisation of the 74 stocks in the ACT Australian CleanTech Index is A\$7.8 billion falling from its peak of \$16.3 billion in July 2007 but up from its low point of A\$6.4 billion in September 2011.

The month's performance was driven by losses from 9 companies with losses of more than 25%. These were partially offset by 8 companies having share price gains of greater than 20%. These best and worst performers are shown in the table below.

April 2012	
Best Performers - Share Price Gain > 20%	Worst Performers - Share Price Loss > 25%
Hydromet	Dolomatrix
AnaeCo	Carbon Polymers
Electrometals	Eco Quest
Bluglass	Eden Energy
Cardia BioPlastics	RedFlow
Carnegie Wave Energy	Panax Geothermal
Environmental Group	Hot Rock
Greencap	Coffey Environments
	Pacific Environment

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