

# Mint Asset Management Funds

## Mint Australasian Equity Fund

Fund Update for the quarter ended

31 March 2023

This Fund Update was first made publicly available on 27 April 2023

### What is the purpose of this update?

This document tells you how the Mint Australasian Equity Fund has performed and what fees were charged. The document will help you to compare the fund with other funds. Mint Asset Management Limited prepared this update in accordance with the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013. This information is not audited and may be updated.

### Description of this fund

The Fund invests predominantly in Australasian equities and targets medium to long term growth. The Fund is benchmarked against the S&P/NZX 50 Gross Index with an investment objective of outperforming the S&P/NZX50 Gross Index by 3% per annum, before fees, over the medium to long-term.

<b>Total value of the fund</b>	<b>\$201,847,541</b>
<b>The date the fund started</b>	<b>15 February 2007</b>

### What are the risks of investing?

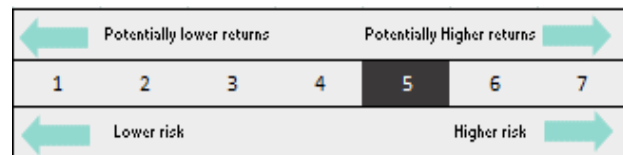
The risk indicator is rated from 1 (low) to 7 (high). The rating reflects how much the value of the fund's assets goes up and down. A higher risk generally means higher potential returns over time, but more ups and downs along the way.

To help you clarify your own attitude to risk, you can seek financial advice or work out your risk profile at [www.sorted.org.nz/tools/investor-kickstarter](http://www.sorted.org.nz/tools/investor-kickstarter).

Note that even the lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment, and there are other risks that are not captured by this rating.

This risk indicator is not a guarantee of a fund's future performance. The risk indicator is based on the returns data for the 5 years' period ending 31 March 2023. While risk indicators are usually relatively stable, they do shift from time to time. The risk indicator will continue to be updated in future fund updates.

Risk indicator for the Mint Australasian Equity Fund:



See the product disclosure statement (PDS) for more information about the risks associated with investing in this fund.

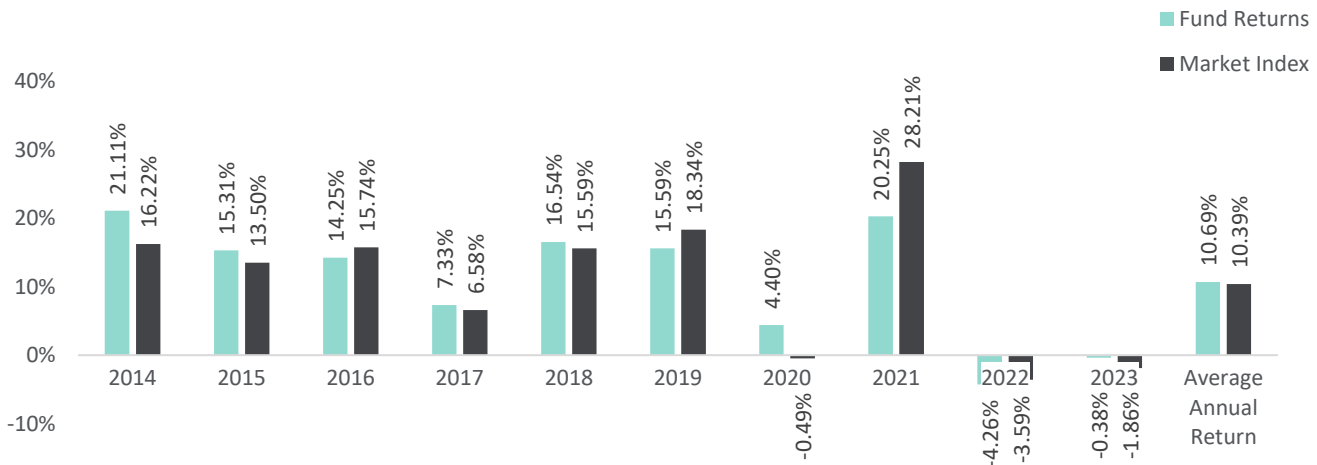
### How has the fund performed?

	Average over past 5 years	Past year
<b>Annual return</b> (after deductions for charges and tax)	6.72%	-0.38%
<b>Annual return</b> (after deductions for charges but before tax)	7.22%	0.21%
<b>Market index annual return</b> (reflects no deduction for charges and tax)	7.39%	-1.86%

The market index return shows the S&P/NZX 50 Gross Index, being the fund's relevant benchmark since inception and as stated in the Statement of Investment Policy and Objectives (SIPO).

Additional information about the market index is available in the Benchmark Indices document on the offer register at <http://www.business.govt.nz/disclose>.

## Annual Return Graph



This shows the return after fund charges and tax for each of the last 10 years ending 31 March. The last bar shows the average annual return for the last 10 years, up to 31 March 2023.

**Important:** This does not tell you how the fund will perform in the future.

Returns in this update are after tax at the highest prescribed investor rate (PIR) of tax for an individual New Zealand resident. Your tax may be lower.

### What fees are investors charged?

Investors in the Mint Australasian Equity Fund are charged fund charges. In the year to 31 March 2023, these were:

	% of net asset value
<b>Total fund charges*</b>	<b>1.18%</b>
Which are made up of -	
<b>Total management and administration charges</b>	
including-	
Manager's basic fee	1.02%
Other management and administration charges	0.16%
<b>Total performance-based fees</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Other charges</b>	<b>\$ amount per investor</b>
Other charges	\$0

\*Fund charges are inclusive of GST

See the PDS for more information about the basis on which performance fees are charged.

Small differences in fees and charges can have a big impact on your investment over the long term.

Investors may also be charged individual action fees for specific actions or decisions (for example, for withdrawal from or switching funds), although these are not currently charged. See the PDS for more information about those fees.

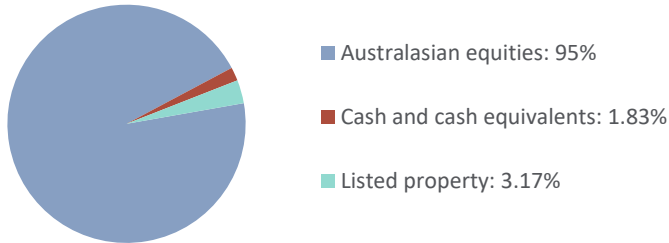
### Example of how this applies to an investor

Annie had \$10,000 in the fund at the start of the year and did not make any further contributions. At the end of the year, Annie received a return after fund charges were deducted of \$21 (that is 0.21% of her initial \$10,000). Annie did not pay any other charges. This gives Annie a total loss after tax of -\$38 for the year.

## What does the fund invest in?

This shows the types of assets that the fund invests in.

### Actual investment mix



### Target investment mix

Cash and cash equivalents	10.0%
Australasian equities	90.0%

## Currency hedging

The fund's exposure to assets denominated in foreign currencies was 12% of which 95% was hedged back to NZD.

## Top 10 Investments

	Name	% of fund net assets	Type	Country	Credit rating (if applicable)
1	Fisher & Paykel Healthcare Ltd	13.26%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
2	Auckland International Airport Ltd	9.23%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
3	Spark New Zealand Ltd	8.22%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
4	Meridian Energy Limited	8.21%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
5	Infratil Ltd	7.85%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
6	Contact Energy Ltd	7.10%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
7	Mainfreight Ltd	6.06%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
8	Ebos Group Ltd	5.78%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
9	Summerset Group Holdings Ltd	3.25%	Australasian equities	New Zealand	
10	Goodman Property Trust	2.86%	Listed property	New Zealand	

The top 10 investments make up 71.81% of the net asset value of the fund.

## Key personnel

This shows the directors and employees who have the most influence on the investment decisions of the fund.

Name	Current Position	Time in current position	Previous or other position	Time in previous or other position	
John Middleton	Portfolio Manager	5 years	0 months	Head of Australasian Equity Research - ANZ	3 years, 6 months
Michael Kenealy	Portfolio Manager	0 years	7 months	Senior Equity Analyst (Mint Asset Management)	0 years, 7 months
David Fyfe	Portfolio Manager	5 years	5 months	Equity Analyst (Mint Asset Management)	1 year, 7 months

## Further information

You can also obtain this information, the PDS for the Mint Asset Management Funds, and some additional information from the offer register at <https://www.business.govt.nz/disclose>