# FUND UPDATE

FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

## Macquarie Investment Funds

## Macquarie Australian Shares Fund

This fund update was first made publicly available on: 03 May 2022

#### What is the purpose of this update?

This document tells you how the Macquarie Australian Shares Fund has performed and what fees were charged. The document will help you to compare the fund with other funds. Macquarie Asset Management Public Investments (NZ) 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 is a diversified portfolio of Australian shares across a range of industries and sectors.

The fund invests in shares listed, or about to be listed, on the Australian Securities Exchange, through investment in the AMP Capital Equity Fund. The investments of the AMP Capital Equity Fund are diversified across a range of industries and sectors, with a focus on the largest 200 companies. In constructing the portfolio, the investment manager of the underlying fund employs a systematic rulesbased approach.

Environmental, Social and Governance characteristics are integrated into the underlying investment manager's investment process.

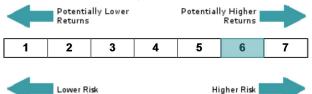
The base position is for the Australian dollar exposure to be unhedged.

The performance objective of the fund is to provide a Gross Return (see note 2 below) above the return of the S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index (in NZD) on a rolling three year basis.

Total value of the fund	NZ\$332,304,766
The date the fund started	17 September 1996

#### What are the risks of investing?

Risk indicator for the Macquarie Australian Shares Fund:



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 <u>www.sorted.org.nz</u>.

Note that even the lowest category does not mean a riskfree 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 year period to 31 March 2022. 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.

See the Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) for more information about the risks associated with investing in this fund.

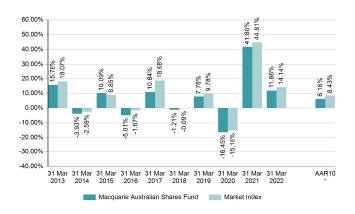
#### How has the fund performed?

	Average over past 5 years	Past year
<b>Annual return<sup>3</sup></b> (after deductions for charges and tax)	7.13%	11.86%
Annual return <sup>3</sup> (after deductions for charges but before tax)	8.46%	13.28%
Market index annual return <sup>3</sup> (reflects no deduction for charges and tax)	8.99%	14.14%

The market index annual return is based on the S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index (in NZD). Additional information about the market index is available on the offer register at <a href="https://www.companiesoffice.govt.nz/disclose">www.companiesoffice.govt.nz/disclose</a>.



#### Annual Return Graph<sup>4</sup>



\* Average Annual Return for the last 10 years to 31 March 2022

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 2022.

**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 Macquarie Australian Shares Fund are charged fund charges. In the year to 31 March 2022 these were:

	% of net asset value
Total fund charges	0.48%
Which are made up of:	
Total management and administration charges	0.48%
Including:	
Manager's basic fee (excluding GST)	0.45%
Other management and administration charges (including GST)	0.03%

Investors may also be charged individual action fees for specific actions or decisions (for example, for withdrawing from or switching funds). See the PDS for the Macquarie Investment Funds New Zealand and Australian Shares Funds on the offer register at

<u>www.companiesoffice.govt.nz/disclose</u> for more information about those fees.

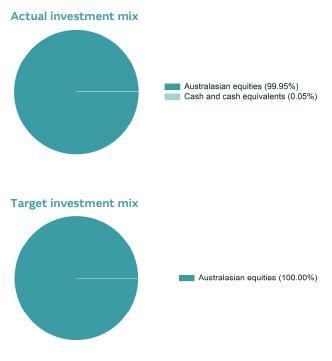
#### Example of how this applies to an investor<sup>5</sup>

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

Jeff 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, Jeff received a return after fund charges were deducted of \$1,328 (that is 13.28% of his initial \$10,000). This gives Jeff a total return after tax of \$1,186 for the year.

#### What does the fund invest in?

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



#### **Top 10 investments**

	Name	% of Fund net assets	Туре	Country	Credit Rating (if applicable)
1	AMP Capital Equity Fund	99.95%	Australasian equities	Australia	N/A

The top 10 investments make up 99.95% of the fund.

#### Key personnel

	Name	Current position	Time in current position	Previous or other current position	Time in previous or other current position
1	Rebekah Swan	Head of New Zealand Public Investments, Macquarie Asset Management (NZ) Limited	1 month	Managing Director and Head of Client Services, AMP Capital Investors (New Zealand) Limited	1 year 5 months
2	Vicky Hyde- Smith	Associate Director, Macquarie Asset Management (NZ) Limited	1 month	Head of Fixed Income, AMP Capital Investors (New Zealand) Limited	5 years 1 month
3	Grant Hassell	Division Director, Macquarie Asset Management (NZ) Limited	1 month	Global Head of Fixed Income, AMP Capital Investors Limited	3 years 4 months
4	Michael Gray	Head of Investment Strategy (NZ), Macquarie Asset Management (NZ) Limited	1 month	Head of Investments NZ, AMP Capital Investors (New Zealand) Limited	1 year
5	Supriya Edwards*	Investment Specialist, Macquarie Asset Management (NZ) Limited	1 month	Fixed Income Analyst, AMP Capital Investors (New Zealand) Limited	1 year 7 months
*þ	key personr	nel not named in prev	vious fund	update for the fund.	

#### **Further information**

You can also obtain this information, the PDS for the Macquarie Investment Funds New Zealand and Australian Shares Funds, and some additional information from the offer register at www.companiesoffice.govt.nz/disclose.

#### Notes

Time in

- In March 2022, Macquarie Asset Management Holdings Pty Limited completed the acquisition of the AMP Capital Global Equities and Fixed Income business from AMP Group Holdings Limited. Prior to that acquisition, Macquarie Asset Management Public Investments (NZ) Limited was known as AMP Investment Management (N.Z.) Limited and the Macquarie Australian Shares Fund was known as the AMP Capital Australian Shares Fund.
- 2. Gross Return is the return before the deduction of tax, expenses and fees and assumes all income is reinvested.
- 3. These returns are for the periods ending 31 March 2022.
- 4. The bar chart shows fund returns after the deduction of fees and tax, however, the market index returns are shown before any fees or tax are deducted.
- 5. The returns and tax calculations used in this example are the actual fund returns and tax charges (or rebates) for the year ended 31 March 2021. Net of tax returns can be more than gross of tax returns where, due to the fund's tax position, it receives a tax rebate rather than paying tax.

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