

ANZ INVESTMENT FUNDS

CONSERVATIVE FUND

ABOUT THIS FUND

The Conservative Fund invests mainly in income assets (cash and cash equivalents and fixed interest), with a smaller exposure to growth assets (equities, listed property and listed infrastructure). The fund may also invest in alternative assets.

YOUR INVESTMENT TEAM

Your money is looked after by a highly experienced investment management team with a focus on long-term performance. Find out more about our investment team at anz.co.nz/investmentteam

RESPONSIBLE INVESTING

We're strong advocates of responsible investing (also known as sustainable investing). Responsible investing means when we're considering whether to invest in a company, we don't just look at their financial performance. We also look at their environmental, social and governance (ESG) performance, because we believe these factors have a big impact on long-term returns.

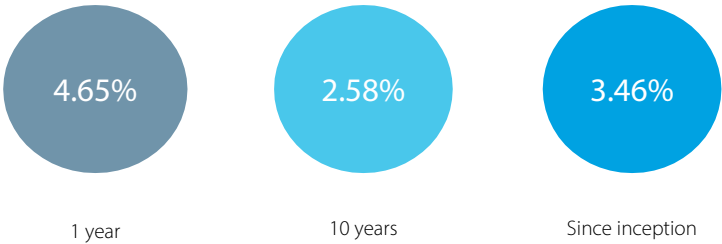
Find out more about our responsible investing approach at anz.co.nz/oa-responsibleinvesting

THIS FUND AT A GLANCE

Size of the fund	\$90.5m
Number of holdings	4,270
Fund start date	April 2010
Suggested minimum investment timeframe	4 years
Annual fund charge	0.68%
Minimum contribution	\$1
Minimum balance	\$1
Minimum withdrawal	
- regular	\$100
- one-off	\$500

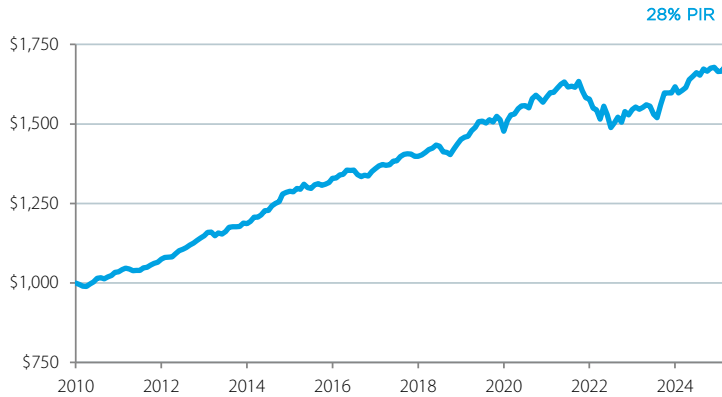
The ANZ Investment Funds guide and product disclosure statement is available at anz.co.nz/investmentdocs.

HOW THIS FUND HAS PERFORMED



PIR (tax rate)	1mth	3mth	6mth	1yr	3yrs	5yrs	10 yrs
0%	0.87%	0.38%	0.74%	5.98%	3.50%	2.18%	3.21%
17.5%	0.84%	0.22%	0.53%	5.15%	3.01%	1.96%	2.82%
28%	0.82%	0.12%	0.41%	4.65%	2.72%	1.83%	2.58%

Fund performance since inception



Performance is shown after fees and tax, at the highest prescribed investor rate (PIR) at the time of the performance, unless stated. Performance for periods longer than one year are annualised.

AWARDS, RATINGS AND CERTIFICATIONS



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MARKET AND FUND REVIEW

This fund has a significant weighting to bonds, which make up more than half of its holdings.

Global bond markets declined in May, driven by stronger-than-expected US economic data and growing concerns over the US fiscal outlook, particularly rising government debt levels. Over the month, the US 10-year government bond yield climbed from 4.16% to 4.40%, after hitting a mid-month high above 4.60%.

In contrast, German bond markets were more stable. The 10-year German government bond yield rose modestly—up 6 basis points to 2.50%. The move reflected a slight repricing of interest rate expectations, though the European Central Bank (ECB) maintained a dovish tone amid subdued inflation.

Meanwhile, New Zealand bond yields also moved higher in May (meaning bond prices fell), with the yield on the 10-year government bond up 13 basis points to 4.57%. Although inflation is within target, the RBNZ struck a cautious tone, reaffirming its commitment to maintaining current policy settings until inflationary pressures are fully contained.

Equity markets were higher across the board, with US markets outperforming after an easing in trade tensions between the US and China, while a cooling of inflation also alleviated some concerns. The New Zealand equity market benefited from the global rally, while an uptick in retail sales was taken positively, raising hopes that the economy is starting to turn a corner.

At a tactical level, we continue to hold an overweight position in US bonds, which we view as attractively priced at current yield levels. Additionally, early signs of a cooling labour market and stabilising house prices suggest a more supportive environment for defensive assets such as bonds.

In equities, we maintain a modest overweight to global stocks. While recent momentum off April’s lows has been encouraging, we remain mindful of stretched valuations and ongoing geopolitical risks, which could introduce volatility in the months ahead.

INVESTMENT MIX AND CURRENCY HEDGING

Asset class	Investment mix			Hedging	Underlying fund managers
	Actual	Target	Range		
Cash and cash equivalents	13.84%	15.00%	0.00% - 35.00%	n/a	ANZ Investments
New Zealand fixed interest	15.97%	16.00%	0.00% - 31.00%	n/a	ANZ Investments
International fixed interest	49.80%	49.00%	34.00% - 64.00%	100%	ANZ Investments, Northern Trust, PIMCO Australia
Income assets	79.61%	80.00%	65.00% - 95.00%		
Australasian listed property	0.78%	0.80%	0.00% - 9.00%	101%	ANZ Investments
International listed property	1.51%	1.50%		99%	Resolution Capital
Australasian equities	3.80%	3.75%	0.00% - 19.00%	69%	ANZ Investments, Pendal
International equities	13.40%	13.20%	0.00% - 29.00%	59%	Franklin Equity Group, BlackRock Investment Management, LSV Asset Management, Vontobel, PIMCO Australia
Other (listed infrastructure)	0.90%	0.75%	0.00% - 6.00%	97%	Maple-Brown Abbott
Other (incl. alternatives)	0.00%	0.00%	0.00% - 8.00%	n/a	n/a
Growth assets	20.39%	20.00%	5.00% - 35.00%		

The actual and target investment mix of this fund is based on the cash and cash equivalents held by the fund, and the asset class of the underlying funds in which the fund invests.

FUND CHARACTERISTICS

Top 10 growth holdings

Asset name	% of fund
1 FISHER AND PAYKEL HEALTHCARE	0.4
2 NVIDIA CORP	0.3
3 MICROSOFT CORP	0.2
4 APPLE INC	0.2
5 AUCKLAND INT AIRPORT LTD	0.2
6 S&P500 EMINI June 25	0.2
7 INFRATIL LTD	0.2
8 CONTACT ENERGY LTD	0.2
9 AMAZON COM INC	0.2
10 TOPIX INDEX June 25	0.2
Total top 10 growth holdings	2.3

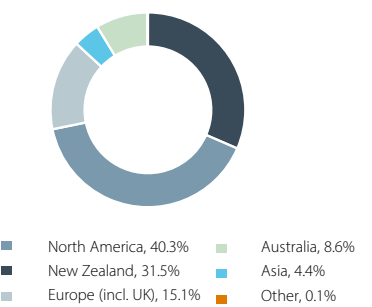
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Top 10 income holdings

Asset name	% of fund
1 3 MONTH SOFR FUTURE 12/26	3.7
2 3 MONTH SOFR FUTURE 12/26	3.7
3 3 MONTH SOFR FUTURE 6/27	3.7
4 3 MONTH SOFR FUTURE 12/26	3.7
5 3 MONTH SOFR FUTURE 6/26	3.7
6 3 MONTH SOFR FUTURE 3/26	3.7
7 US 10YR NOTE SEP 25	2.5
8 CDS: (CDX.NA.IG.44.V1)	2.4
9 UMB5 30YR TBA(REG A)	1.3
10 US 5YR NOTE June 25	1.2
Total top 10 income holdings	29.6

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Geographic allocation



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