

# Summer KiwiSaver Scheme

## Summer Australian Equities

Fund Update as at 31 December 2024

This fund update was first made publicly available on 13 February 2025.

### What is the purpose of this update?

This document tells you how Summer Australian Equities has performed and what fees were charged. The document will help you to compare the fund with other funds. Forsyth Barr Investment Management Limited prepared this update in accordance with the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013. This information is not audited and may be updated.

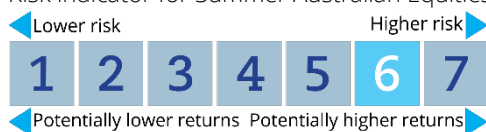
### Description of this fund

The Summer Australian Equities fund invests mostly in Australian shares, and can invest in New Zealand listed shares where the company has meaningful operations in Australia. We aim to achieve long-term returns (before fees, taxes and other expenses) greater than the S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index, 50% hedged to the New Zealand dollar.

<b>Total value of the fund</b>	\$18,134,425
<b>Number of members in the fund</b>	772
<b>The date the fund started</b>	19 September 2016

### What are the risks of investing?

Risk indicator for Summer Australian Equities:



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-profiler](http://www.sorted.org.nz/tools/investor-profiler).

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 five years to 31 December 2024. 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.

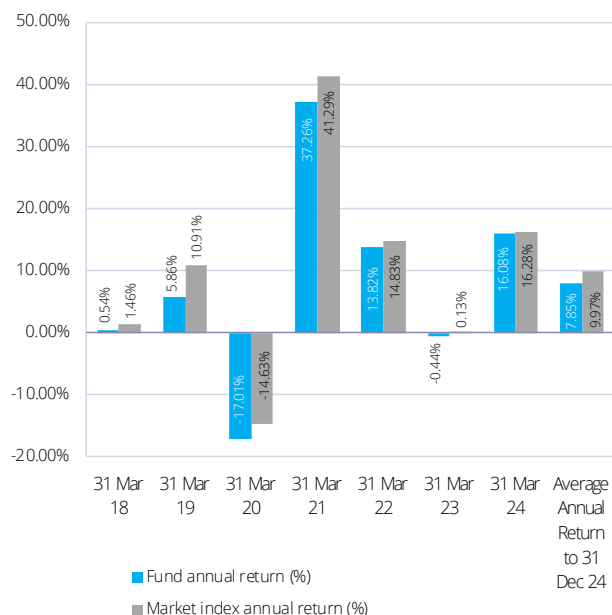
See the Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) for more information about the risks associated with investing in this fund.

### How has the fund performed?<sup>1</sup>

	Average over the past 5 years	Past year
<b>Annual return (after deductions for charges and tax)</b>	8.37%	11.38%
<b>Annual return (after deductions for charges but before tax)</b>	9.34%	12.25%
<b>Market index annual return (reflects no deduction for charges and tax)</b>	9.09%	13.32%

The market index return is based on the S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index, 50% hedged to the New Zealand dollar. Additional information about the market index is available on the Summer KiwiSaver scheme's entry on the offer register at [www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz](http://www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz).

### Annual return graph



This shows the return after fund charges and tax for each year ending 31 March since the fund started. The last bar shows the average annual return since the fund started, up to 31 December 2024.

**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 Summer Australian Equities are charged fund charges. In the year to 31 March 2024 these were:

	<i>% of net asset value</i>
<b>Total fund charges</b>	0.90%
Which are made up of:	
<b>Total management and administration charges, including</b>	0.90%
Manager's basic fee	0.90%
Other management and administration charges	0.00%
<b>Total performance-based fees</b>	0.00%
<b>Other charges</b>	<i>Dollar amount per investor</i>
Account fee <sup>2</sup>	\$36.00

Investors may also be charged individual action fees for specific actions or decisions (for example for withdrawing from or switching funds), although these are not currently charged. See the "Other Material Information" document at [www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz](http://www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz) for more information about those fees.

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

### Example of how this applies to an investor

Kim 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, Kim received a return after fund charges were deducted but before tax of \$1,225 (that is 12.25% of her initial \$10,000). Kim also paid \$36 in other charges. This gives Kim a total return after tax of \$1,102 for the year.

## Top 10 investments

	<i>Name</i>	<i>Percentage of fund net assets</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Credit rating (if applicable)</i>
1	BHP Group Limited	7.54%	Australasian equities	Australia	
2	CSL Limited	7.03%	Australasian equities	Australia	
3	Commonwealth Bank of Australia Limited	6.36%	Australasian equities	Australia	
4	Westpac Banking Corporation	4.60%	Australasian equities	Australia	
5	National Australia Bank Limited	3.79%	Australasian equities	Australia	
6	Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited	3.10%	Australasian equities	Australia	
7	Macquarie Group Limited	3.08%	Australasian equities	Australia	
8	Telstra Group	2.60%	Australasian equities	Australia	
9	Rio Tinto Limited	2.51%	Australasian equities	Australia	
10	Santos Limited	2.44%	Australasian equities	Australia	

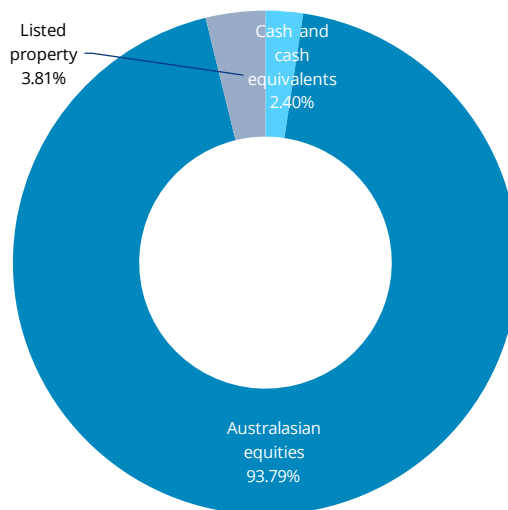
The top 10 investments make up 43.04% of the fund.

We actively manage the fund's foreign currency exposures. As at 31 December 2024, these exposures represented 98.07% of the value of the fund. After allowing for foreign currency hedges in place, 56.51% of the value of the fund was unhedged and exposed to foreign currency risk.

## 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	5.00%
New Zealand fixed interest	0.00%
International fixed interest	0.00%
Australasian equities	85.00%
International equities	0.00%
Listed property	10.00%
Unlisted property	0.00%
Commodities	0.00%
Other	0.00%

## Key personnel

<b>Name</b>	<b>Current position</b>	<b>Time in current position</b>	<b>Previous or other current position</b>	<b>Time in previous or other current position</b>
<b>Christine Smith-Han</b>	Equity and Strategy Analyst Octagon Asset Management Limited <sup>3</sup>	3 years and 1 month	Portfolio Analyst Forsyth Barr Limited	4 years and 10 months
<b>Paul Robertshawe</b>	Chief Investment Officer Octagon Asset Management Limited <sup>3</sup>	3 years and 1 month	Portfolio Manager, Forsyth Barr Limited	0 years and 8 months
<b>Craig Alexander</b>	Head of Fixed Interest and ESG Octagon Asset Management Limited <sup>3</sup>	3 years and 1 month	Co-Head of Funds Management, Forsyth Barr Limited	8 years and 5 months
<b>Jason Lindsay</b>	Head of Equities Octagon Asset Management Limited <sup>3</sup>	3 years and 1 month	Co-Head of Funds Management, Forsyth Barr Limited	2 years and 2 months
<b>Neil Paviour-Smith</b>	Director, Forsyth Barr Investment Management Limited	16 years and 10 months	Managing Director at Forsyth Barr Limited (current)	24 years and 0 months

## Further information

You can also obtain this information, the PDS for the Summer KiwiSaver scheme, and some additional information from the offer register at [www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz](http://www.disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz).

## Notes

- <sup>1</sup> Summer KiwiSaver scheme was previously known as the Forsyth Barr KiwiSaver Scheme - you can find a link to historical performance information for the funds in the Forsyth Barr KiwiSaver Scheme at <https://www.summer.co.nz/the-summer-scheme/performance-information/quarterly-fund-updates/>.
- <sup>2</sup> The account fee is charged at \$3 per member, per month.
- <sup>3</sup> Octagon Asset Management Limited is responsible for the day-to-day investment decisions for the fund.