

Perpetual Industrial Share

Quarterly Investment Option Update

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Aim and Strategy

To provide investors with long term capital growth and regular income through investment in quality industrial shares. The strategy aims to outperform the S&P/ASX 300 Industrials Accumulation Index (before fees and taxes) over rolling 3-year periods.. The investment manager's priority is to select those companies that represent the best investment quality and are appropriately priced. In determining investment quality, investments are carefully selected on the basis of 4 key investment criteria: conservative debt levels; sound management; quality business; and recurring earnings. Derivatives may be used in managing the portfolio.

Investment Option Performance

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Investment Option Overview

Investment Category	Australian Shares
Suggested Investment timeframe	5+ years
Relative risk rating	7 / Very High
Investment style	Value
Manager style	Single Manager

Asset Allocation	Actual (%)	Benchmark (%)
Industrial shares*	94.8	n/a
Cash	5.2	n/a

Sector Allocation	%
Cash	5.2
Consumer Discretionary	17.2
Consumer Staples	7.1
Energy	0.3
Financials ex Property Trusts	29.0
Health Care	12.0
Industrials	10.8
Information Technology	0.1
Materials	6.2
Real Estate	4.1
Telecommunication Services	7.9
Utilities	0.1

Top Holdings	%
National Australia Bank Limited	8.4
CSL Limited	8.3
Commonwealth Bank of Australia	7.7
Incitec Pivot Limited	5.0
Suncorp Group Limited	4.9
Flutter Entertainment Plc	4.6
Testra Corporation Limited	3.9
Qantas Airways Limited	3.8
Ramsay Health Care Ltd	3.1
Event Hospitality and Entertainment Ltd	3.1

Market Commentary

The Australian equity market declined over the June quarter as inflation and interest rate news dominated headlines. The market retreated following the consecutive interest rate rises in May and June, which saw the cash rate climb a total of 75 basis points to 0.85%, prompted by a significant increase in inflation and expectations of its continued upward trajectory.

Equities started the quarter on a positive note, with performance underpinned by continued strength in mining and energy stocks as commodity prices remained elevated by the fallout from Russia's invasion. Rising volatility, however, saw the market hand back its earlier gains. The spike in gas and electricity prices contributed to near-term inflation expectations. At the same time, consumer confidence fell to its lowest level since Sep-2020 amid concerns over the Ukrainian war, east coast flooding, and cost pressures. Fuel and food prices compounded inflationary pressures from supply and labour shortages and strong consumer demand. Consumer Discretionary stocks, however, were adversely affected as the aggressive RBA tightening cycle clouded corporate earnings outlooks. Confidence deteriorated with indebted Australians facing cost-of-living headwinds, which prompted warnings of a pullback in discretionary spending. Consumer staples similarly lost ground amid concerns of cost inflation and pervasive supply chain constraints.

The latest bond yield backup coincided with steep falls in high-growth pockets of the market, particularly across tech stocks, which took a beating over the quarter. Commodity producers also sustained significant losses following the reimposition of Covid restrictions in China. The banks took a steep dive later in the quarter after executives and regulatory officials flagged challenges related to the housing market / construction sector and warned of likely stresses on borrowers from rising rates. The Energy sector, however, finished ahead, supported by rallying crude oil prices. Market sentiment, nevertheless, remained fraught as the increasingly hawkish central bank policy pivot continued to drive concerns of an economic hard landing.

Availability

Product name	APIR
SignatureSuper*	AMP0811AU
SignatureSuper Allocated Pension*	AMP1368AU
SignatureSuper Term Pension*	AMP1368AU
Flexible Lifetime Investment (Series 1)**	AMP0853AU
Flexible Lifetime Investment (Series 2)**	AMP1431AU
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