# **FUND UPDATE**

# Maritime Retirement Scheme – Growth Fund for the year ended 31 March 2025

This fund update was first made publicly available on 30 June 2025.

# WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS UPDATE?

This document tells you how the fund has performed and what fees were charged. The document will help you to compare the fund with other funds. The Trustees of the Maritime Retirement Scheme 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**

Invests about 20% in bonds and cash with about 80% in shares and other growth assets. Suited to longer-term investors who want a diversified portfolio of assets with a high exposure to shares and other growth assets and are willing to accept more ups and downs than can be expected from the Balanced and Conservative Funds.

Total value of the fund Number of investors in the fund The date the fund started \$13,194,306 346

1 October 2021

#### WHAT ARE THE RISKS OF INVESTING?

Risk indicator for the Growth Fund<sup>1</sup>:

| ← Poten | tially lowe | er returns |   | Potentially | turns → |           |
|---------|-------------|------------|---|-------------|---------|-----------|
| 1       | 2           | 3          | 4 | 5           | 6       | 7         |
| ← Lower | risk        |            |   |             | Highe   | er risk → |

The risk indicator for the Growth Fund is 5. 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.

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 5 years to 31 March 2025<sup>1</sup>. 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.

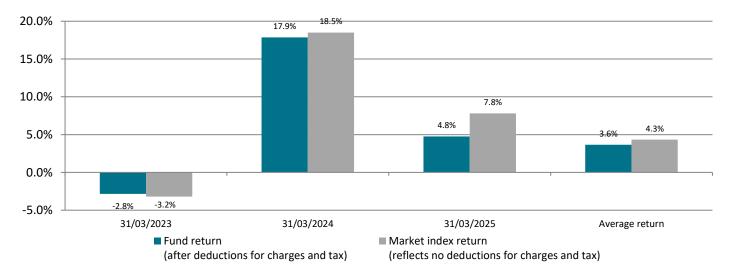
See the product disclosure statement (PDS) for more information about the risks associated with investing in this fund.

# **HOW HAS THE FUND PERFORMED?**

|   | Past year |
|---|-----------|
| Annual return                                 | 4.76%     |
| (after deductions for charges and tax)        |           |
| Annual return                                 | 5.91%     |
| (after deductions for charges but before tax) |           |
| Market index annual return                    | 7.80%     |
| (reflects no deduction for charges and tax)   |           |

The market index return is the strategic asset allocation weighted benchmark index return, where the benchmark indices are defined in the Statement of Investment Policy and Objectives. Additional information about the market index is available on the scheme register at: <a href="https://disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz/">https://disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz/</a>, search for Maritime Retirement Scheme.

# **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.

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

The 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 Growth Fund pay fund charges. In the year to 31 March 2025 these were:

|   | % of net asset value  |
|---|-----------------------|
| TOTAL FUND CHARGES                          | 0.75%                 |
| Which are made up of:                       |                       |
| TOTAL MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION CHARGES | 0.75%                 |
| Including:                                  |                       |
| Manager's basic fee                         | 0.46%                 |
| Other management and administration charges | 0.29%                 |
| TOTAL PERFORMANCE BASED FEES                | 0.00%                 |
|   |                       |
| Dolla                                       | r amount per investor |
| OTHER CHARGES                               | Nil                   |

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

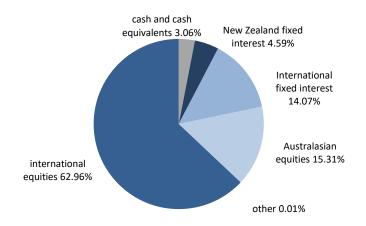
# **EXAMPLE OF HOW THIS APPLIES TO AN INVESTOR**

Brian 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, Brian received a return after fund charges were deducted of \$591 (that is 5.91% of his initial \$10,000. No other charges were deducted. This gives Brian a total return after tax of \$476 for the year.

# WHAT DOES THE FUND INVEST IN?

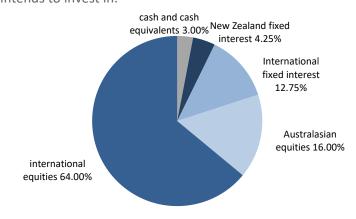
#### Actual investment mix

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



# **Target investment mix**

This shows the mix of assets that the fund generally intends to invest in.



Other includes the investment in the Nikko AM Multi-Strategy Fund.

# **TOP 10 INVESTMENTS**

|    | Name  | % of fund net assets | Туре                         | Country | Credit<br>rating (if<br>applicable) |
|----|---|----------------------|------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------------|
| 1  | Mercer Overseas Shares Index Portfolio        | 31.98%               | international equities       | NZ      |                                     |
| 2  | Nikko Wholesale Global Equity Hedged Fund     | 30.97%               | international equities       | NZ      |                                     |
| 3  | Hunter Global Fixed Interest Fund             | 10.59%               | international fixed interest | NZ      |                                     |
| 4  | Salt Core Equity Fund                         | 6.10%                | Australasian equities        | NZ      |                                     |
| 5  | Fisher Institutional Australian Equity Fund   | 5.90%                | Australasian equities        | NZ      |                                     |
| 6  | Nikko Wholesale NZ Bond Fund                  | 4.59%                | New Zealand fixed interest   | NZ      |                                     |
| 7  | Nikko Global Bond Fund                        | 3.48%                | international fixed interest | NZ      |                                     |
| 8  | Fisher Institutional Trans Tasman Equity Fund | 3.32%                | Australasian equities        | NZ      |                                     |
| 9  | Nikko Wholesale NZ Cash Fund                  | 3.06%                | Cash and cash equivalents    | NZ      |                                     |
| 10 | Nikko Multi-Strategy Fund                     | 0.01%                | Other                        | NZ      |                                     |

The top 10 investments make up 100.00% of the fund.

Refer to the Statement of Investment Policy and Objectives for more information which is available from: <a href="https://disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz/">https://disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz/</a>

# **KEY PERSONNEL**

This shows the directors and employees who have the most influence on the investment decisions of the fund as at 31 March 2025

|   | Name           | Current position  | Time in current position | Previous or other position | Time in previous or other position |
|---|----------------|---|--------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1 | Brodie Stevens | Chairman  | 0 years and 5 months     | Trustee                    | 4 years and 8 months               |
| 2 | Philippa Drury | Licensed Independent Trustee and Member of Investment Committee | 1 years, 9 months        |                            |                                    |
| 3 | Ray Welson     | Trustee and Member of<br>Investment Committee                   | 4 Years, 7 months        | Trustee                    | 4 years, 4 months                  |
| 4 | Ben Trollip    | Investment Consultant   | 8 years, 1 month         |                            |                                    |

#### **FURTHER INFORMATION**

You can also obtain this information and some additional information from the offer register at: <a href="https://disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz/">https://disclose-register.companiesoffice.govt.nz/</a>

# **NOTES**

1. The Maritime Retirement Scheme Growth Fund only commenced on 1 October 2021 and therefore has not yet been in operation for 5 years. The risk indicator for this Fund has been calculated using composite index returns data for the period 1 April 2020 to 30 September 2021, and actual returns for the period 1 October 2021 to 31 March 2025. As a result of composite index returns data being used, the risk indicator may provide a less reliable indicator of the potential future volatility of this Fund.