ACI Conservative Fund

Fund factsheet as at March 31, 2025

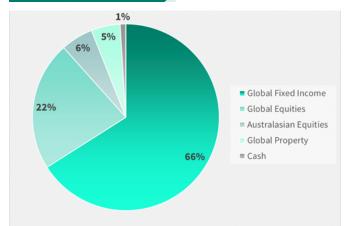
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Fund Overview

Description	Diversified fund of funds, investing mainly in income assets but with some growth asset exposure. Fund's objective is to achieve a rate of return (net of fees but before tax) of at least 1.75% per annum above inflation
Fund Type	Portfolio Investment Entity (PIE)
Benchmark	Composite blend of indices that represent the Fund's underlying investment funds, in their target weights.
Inception Date	April 6, 2023
Net Assets Value (NAV)	\$1,545,344 (NZD)
Unit Price	\$1.1342 (NZD)
Investment Manager	Stewart Group Asset Management (SGAM)
Issuer and Manager	FundRock NZ Ltd

Fund's Target Investment Mix



Underlying Investments

Name	% of Fund's NAV
Dimensional 2-Year Sustainability Fixed Interest PIE Fund	20%
Dimensional Global Bond Sustainability PIE Fund	46%
Dimensional Global Real Estate Trust NZD Hedged Class	5%
Smartshares NZ Core Equity Trust	4.20%
Dimensional Australian Sustainability PIE Fund	1.40%
Dimensional Global Sustainability PIE Fund	8.96%
Dimensional Global Sustainability PIE Fund (NZD Hedged)	8.96%
Dimensional Emerging Markets Sustainability Trust AUD	4.48%
Cash	1%

Performance

	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	Since Inception (p.a.)
Fund (Total Return)	-1.61%	-0.14%	0.86%	5.45%	7.64%
Benchmark (Total Return)	-1.57%	0.15%	2.12%	7.02%	8.07%
Fund (Net of Fees, Before Tax)	-1.69%	-0.37%	0.39%	4.27%	6.59%
Fund (Net of Fees & 28% PIR)	-1.58%	-0.53%	0.33%	3.50%	5.63%

Fees and Costs

Annual Fund Charges	1.20%
Buy Spread	0.20%
Sell Spread	0.20%

Performance Commentary

Despite a strong start for the year and US markets hitting record highs in mid-February, Q1 has ended with significant declines in US stock value. Driven by tariff tension, persisting inflation concerns and competition in the AI space, the S&P 500 dropped 4.6%, the Dow Jones Industrial Average lost 1.3%, and the Nasdaq 10.4%. International developed markets and emerging markets outperformed the US, reversing recent trends and highlighting the benefits of geographic diversification. In developed ex-Australian markets, utilities and consumer staples performed best and IT was the worst performing sector for the quarter across all markets (Australia, developed ex-Australia and emerging markets). In the US, energy sector was in the lead and 'Magnificent 7' lagged with negative returns. Size premium was negative in developed ex-Australian markets, with small caps underperforming. Value premium was positive in both large and small caps. Fixed income markets posted mild positive returns, further softening the volatility of diversified portfolios. The inflation expectations remained high, and the Federal Reserve held rates steady with expectation for future rate cuts leading to increase in US bond prices. Generally, short term bonds outperformed long-term bonds and credit premium was neutral. In line with overall markets performance, the well diversified ACI Conservative fund returned -0.37% (after fees, before tax) for the quarter.

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