Bendigo Managed Wholesale Funds





Monthly fund update - February 2022

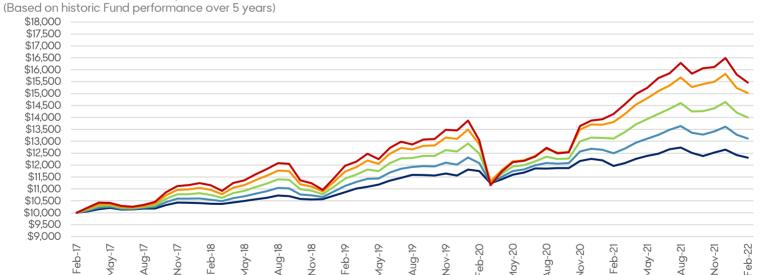
Investment approach

Each Fund invests via expert asset managers that specialise in index strategies that seek to track the performance of selected benchmarks as well as alternative assets and cash. Alternative assets and cash may or may not invest in index strategies. Sandhurst will invest each Fund's assets across a variety of asset classes in a manner that we believe will meet the investment return objective of each Fund. Each Fund aims to provide a total return after fees in excess of a stated percentage above inflation over a full market cycle (typically 7 to 10 years), where inflation is measured by the Australian Consumer Price Index (CPI)

Fund performance ¹ as at 28 February 2022	Morningstar Rating TM Overall ²	Morningstar Category Rank 5 Year ²	3 months %	1 year %	3 years %p.a.	5 years %p.a.	Fund size \$m
Bendigo Defensive Index Fund Peer Comparison	****	1 / 24	-1.72 -1.53	2.88 1.10	4.26 2.44	4.24 2.72	\$108.61
Bendigo Conservative Index Fund Peer Comparison	****	2 / 113	-2.19 -1.66	4.95 3.42	5.64 3.63	5.57 3.71	\$472.12
Bendigo Balanced Index Fund Peer Comparison	****	2 / 116	-2.67 -1.59	6.73 6.41	6.98 5.59	6.96 5.42	\$503.32
Bendigo Growth Index Fund Peer Comparison	****	4 / 191	-3.05 -2.51	8.79 8.19	8.59 6.88	8.48 6.66	\$414.44
Bendigo High Growth Index Fund Peer Comparison	****	30 / 133	-4.01 -3.13	9.30 10.64	8.92 8.68	9.11 8.42	\$84.25

An example of how your investment grows

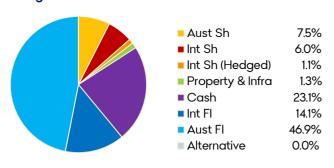
Growth of \$10,000 over 5 years¹



Fund Facts	APIR Code	Fund inception date	Distribution frequency	Return objective	Recommended investment timeframe	Risk level	Management costs ³	Buy / Sell spread ³
Bendigo Defensive Index Fund	STL0031AU	30 Sept 2011	Half yearly	CPI + 1.5%	2 years +	Low	0.40% p.a.	+0.09%/-0.12%
Bendigo Conservative Index Fund	STL0032AU	30 Sept 2011	Half yearly	CPI + 2%	3 years +	Low to medium	0.42% p.a.	+0.10%/-0.10%
Bendigo Balanced Index Fund	STL0033AU	30 Sept 2011	Half yearly	CPI + 3%	4 years +	Medium	0.44% p.a.	+0.10%/-0.10%
Bendigo Growth Index Fund	STL0034AU	30 Sept 2011	Half yearly	CPI + 4%	5 years +	Medium to high	0.46% p.a.	+0.10%/-0.10%
Bendigo High Growth Index Fund	STL0035AU	30 Sept 2011	Half yearly	CPI + 5%	7 years +	High	0.47% p.a.	+0.10%/-0.10%

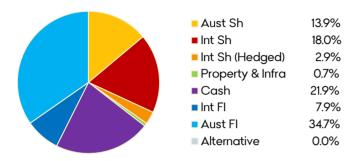
Asset allocation

Bendigo Defensive Index Fund

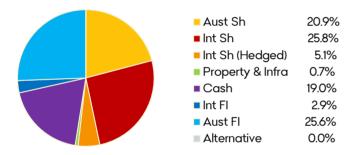


Unit prices Withdrawal **Application** price price as at 28 February 2022 \$1.13133 \$1.12896 **Bendigo Defensive Index Fund Bendigo Conservative Index Fund** \$1.29452 \$1.29193 **Bendigo Balanced Index Fund** \$1,45762 \$1.45471 **Bendigo Growth Index Fund** \$1.68296 \$1.67960 **Bendigo High Growth Index Fund** \$1.74185 \$1.73837

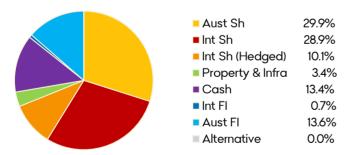
Bendigo Conservative Index Fund



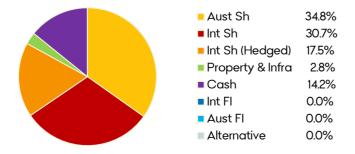
Bendigo Balanced Index Fund



Bendigo Growth Index Fund



Bendigo High Growth Index Fund



Make the most of your investment

You need \$50,000 to start an investment in one of our Bendigo Managed Wholesale Funds

▶ The power of compounding

Compounding can be a powerful tool in wealth creation. Reinvesting distributions can be one of the easiest and cheapest ways to increase your holdings over time. You're compounding your investment's growth by continually adding more units which, in turn,

Why not reinvest your half yearly distributions?

will generate distributions of their own.

▶ The benefits of making it regular

Making regular contributions to your investment can both grow your investment and smooth the effects of market highs and lows.

Why not add a Regular Savings Plan to your investment? You can establish one from as little as \$50 per month.

You can also use BPAY® to add to your investment at any time with as little as \$100. See your statement for your BPAY reference number.

Do you have any questions?

For further information contact us on 1800 634 969 or visit our website: www.bendigobank.com.au/managedfunds

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Performance commentary

Returns for the period fell short of the Morningstar peer group. Driving the relative return was the lack of exposure to unlisted investments such as private equity, unlisted property, infrastructure and private credit. Given the index, low cost nature of the Funds, unlisted investments are not currently invested in. Unlisted investments adopt less frequent valuations and hence they are not subject to short term market volatility such as the events of January.

Over the month active tilts away from interest rate sensitive investments such as fixed government bonds and exposures to gold both benefited the Funds.

Economic commentary

The major focus over the month was the invasion of Russia into Ukraine. Whilst this is a terrible humanitarian event, for markets the ramifications centres around the disruption of global trade, in which outcomes align to a slowing of global growth with inflationary pressures. Russia and Ukraine are major contributors to the world's commodities market, in particular oil and gas, agriculture, fertilizers and steel. Disruptions due to the invasion are likely to result in the increase price of many consumables across the world, throwing further chaos into already fractured supply chains, which have been impacted by Covid lockdowns.

The month of February was a negative month for the majority of risk assets, as concern over Russia escalated. Gold rose, in which this asset class is favourable due to its safe haven status in geopolitical events such as war. Bond yields over the period lifted, due to the concern over supply disruptions pushing inflation higher. Whilst the majority of asset classes returned negative, the outlier was Australian equities, in which a strong reporting period by Australian banks, coupled with buoyed commodity prices which positively impacted our miners, aided the returns in this asset class. Australian equities have held up better than the majority of global indices, in which resource companies aside, the index possesses a large proportion of companies that are less reliant on sales outside of Australia, in particular Europe.

Looking forward global equities face multiple headwinds. Recession is now looming over Europe, and increased costs on everyday goods is sure to weigh on consumer demand, resulting in potential lower earnings for corporates. Equity markets relative to historical are expensive and the US Federal Reserve is set to raise interest rates, withdrawing liquidity from the market, in a period where share prices are looking vulnerable.

Footnotes

- 1. Fund performance figures are calculated before tax and after fees and costs; using withdrawal prices and assumes distributions are reinvested. Past performance is not an indication of future performance.
- 2. Morningstar rates managed funds from one to five stars based on how well they've performed (after adjusting for risk) in comparison to similar funds. Within each Morningstar Category, the top 10% of funds receive five stars, the next 22.5% four stars, the middle 35% three stars, the next 22.5% two stars, and the bottom 10% receive one star. Funds are rated for up to three time periods three, five, and 10 years and these ratings are combined to produce an overall rating. Funds with less than three years of history are not rated. Ratings are objective, based entirely on a mathematical evaluation of past performance. They're a useful tool for identifying funds worthy of further research, but shouldn't be considered buy or sell recommendations.

Bendigo Defensive Index Fund received a 5-Star Overall Morningstar RatingTM out of 24 Multisector Conservative funds as of 28 February 2022. In the Morningstar Multisector Conservative Category, the Bendigo Defensive Index Fund 5 year return was ranked 1 out of 24 funds as of 28 February 2022. Source: www.morningstar.com.au/Funds/FundReport/19288

Bendigo Conservative Index Fund received a 5-Star Overall Morningstar RatingTM out of 116 Multisector Moderate funds as of 28 February 2022. In the Morningstar Multisector Moderate Category, the Bendigo Conservative Index Fund 5 year return was ranked 2 out of 113 funds as of 28 February 2022. Source: www.morningstar.com.au/Funds/FundReport/19289

Bendigo Balanced Index Fund received a 5-Star Overall Morningstar RatingTM out of 123 Multisector Balanced funds as of 28 February 2022. In the Morningstar Multisector Balanced Category, the Bendigo Balanced Index Fund 5 year return was ranked 2 out of 116 funds as of 28 February 2022. Source: www.morningstar.com.au/Funds/FundReport/19290

Bendigo Growth Index Fund received a 5-Star Overall Morningstar RatingTM out of 197 Multisector Growth funds as of 28 February 2022. In the Morningstar Multisector Growth Category, the Bendigo Growth Index Fund 5 year return was ranked 4 out of 191 funds as of 28 February 2022. Source: www.morningstar.com.au/Funds/FundReport/19291

Bendigo High Growth Index Fund received a 4-Star Overall Morningstar RatingTM out of 138 Multisector Aggressive funds as of 28 February 2022. In the Morningstar Multisector Aggressive Category, the Bendigo High Growth Index Fund 5 year return was ranked 30 out of 133 funds as of 28 February 2022. Source: www.morningstar.com.au/Funds/FundReport/19292

'Peer Comparison' performance refers to the performance of the relevant 'Morningstar Category' for the stated period. Investments are placed into Morningstar Categories based on their compositions and portfolio statistics so that investors can make meaningful comparisons. 'Morningstar Category Rank' is the Fund's performance rank relative to all funds in the same Morningstar Category.

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3. Management costs are based on costs incurred by the Fund in the past financial year and may be different in the current and future financial years. Other fees and costs may apply. See the Product Disclosure Statement for full details.

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